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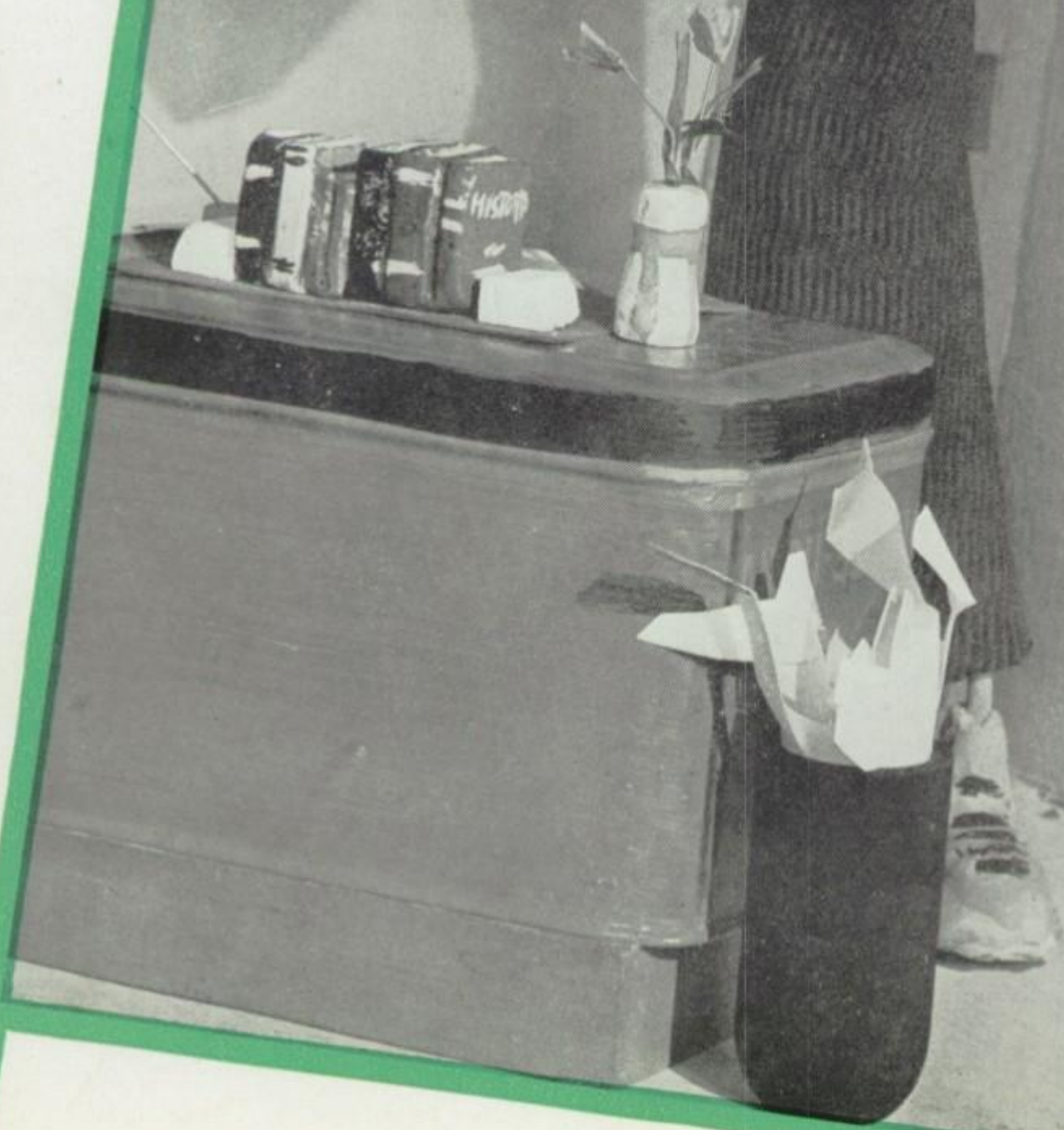
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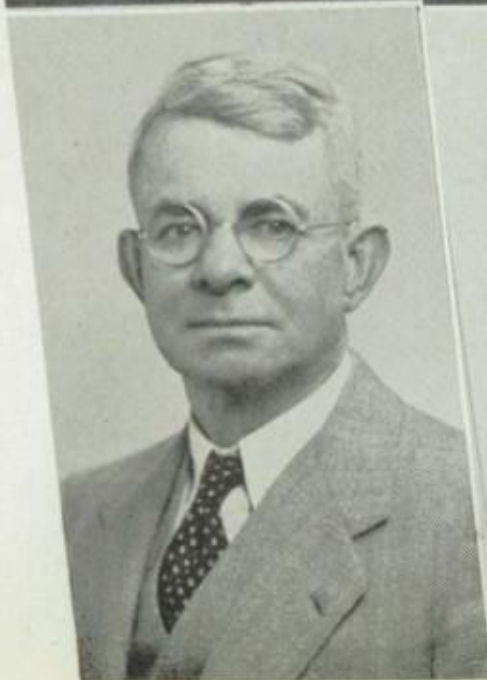
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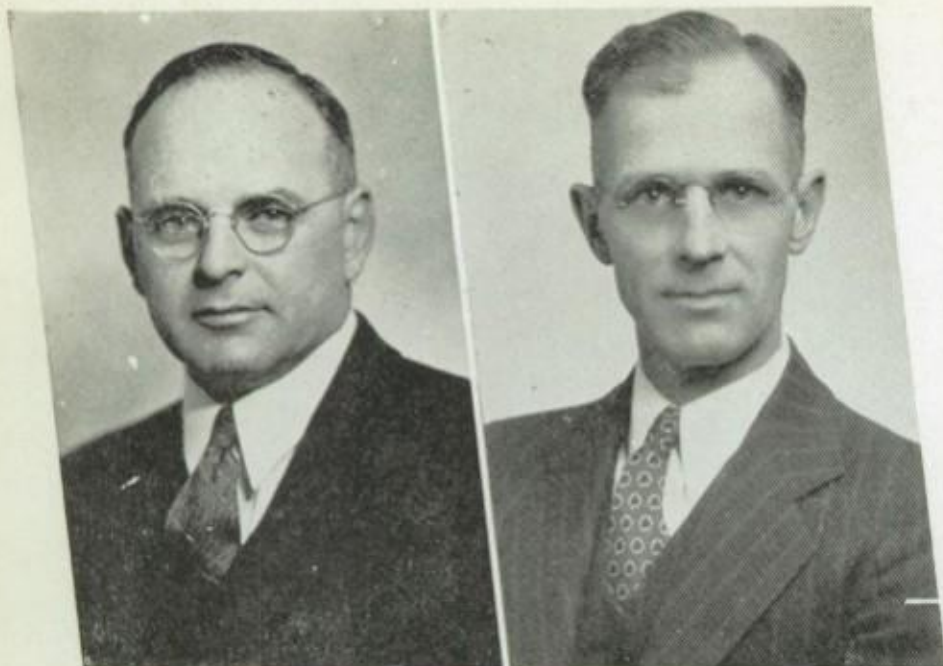
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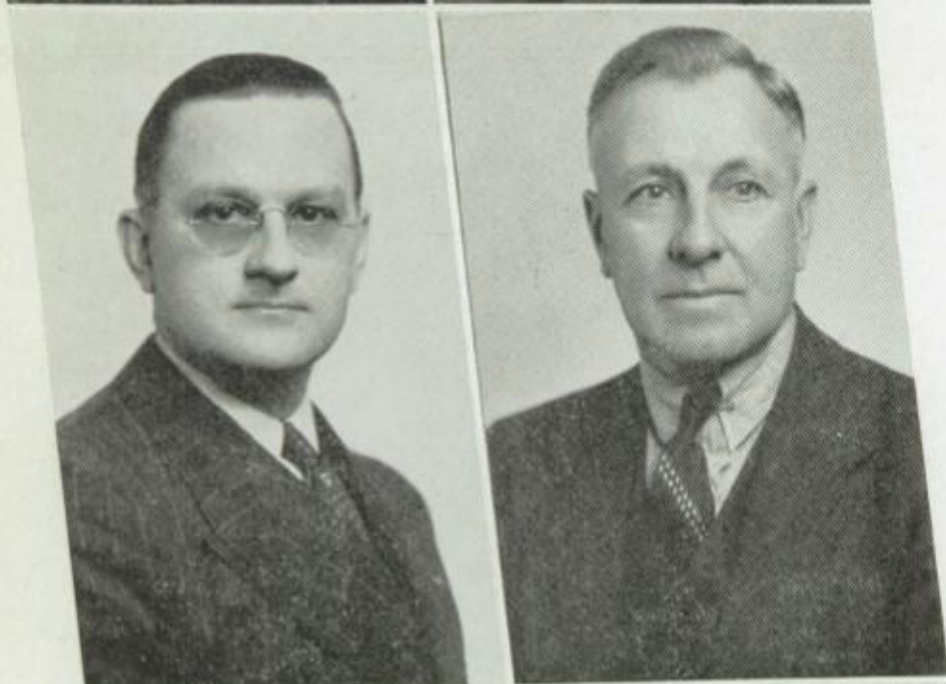


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LET'S SEE these folks who, after years of study, are finally leaving for further adventure in education, and for experience in the "cold, cruel world."

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Seated: Mr. Epps, Jim Wyckoff, Phyllis Craig, Martha Allen, Quentin Verdier, Anna Mae Van Aartsen, Paul Lawrence, Max Pearse • Standing: Stanford Graham, Marian De Vries, Sam Upton, Harriet Rood, Tom Straight, Doris Parkhurst, Miss McKenzie, Miss Anderson, Mr. Robinette.

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• **Ruth Evelyn Ackerman** *"The hand that made you fair hath made you good."* Bars and Chevrons (2, 3, 4); R. O. T. C. (2, 3, 4); French Club (2, 3); Math Club (2, 3); Biology Club (3); National Honor Society (3, 4); Monitor (2, 3) • **Martha Ann Allen** *Many will miss her helping hand at Central.* National Honor Society (4); Secretary of Senior Class; Math Club Secretary (3, 4); French Club (3, 4); Pin and Ring Committee; Courtesy Squad Manager (4); Courtesy Squad (1, 2, 3, 4); Senior Girl Reserves (1, 2, 3, 4); Girls' Meet (1, 2); Volleyball (3); Junior Girls' Glee Club (1); Junior Girl Reserves • **Alsbro Amsterburg** *Three balls, two strikes — another Cobb.* Baseball (2, 3, 4); Pen and Pencil Club; Phy-Chem Club; Conservation Club • **Mary Ellen Applegate** *"The hand that follows intellect will succeed."* Classical Club (3, 4); French Club (4); Pen and Pencil (4); Phy-Chem Club (4); Current Events Club (3, 4); Secretary-Treasurer (4); Sock and Buskin (4); Agona Treasurer (4); Courtesy Squad (1, 2, 3); G. A. A. (2, 3, 4); After School Activities (2, 3, 4); Girls' Meet (1, 2, 3); Senior Play Cast; Exchange Assembly Committee (4); Helios Literary Staff (4); Senior Memorial Committee; Vodvil-Advertising (3); Ticket Chairman (4).

• **Bettelouise Bailey** *Hers is the spirit that wins friends.* Biology Club (2, 3, 4); President (4) Domecon Club (2, 3, 4); Student Council Sale Chairman (4); Senior Play Make-up (4); Monitor (1, 2, 4); Senior Girl Reserves (1, 2, 3) • **Grant Wood Balkema** *As sunny as his favorite state, California.* Creative English Club; Track Squad; Biology Club; Wilson High; R. O. T. C. (1, 2, 3, 4); Bars and Chevrons Club (3, 4); Drill Squad Commander (4); Conservation Club; Monitor (3); Usher at Games • **Marjorie Ann Baloyan** *"The foolish man seeks happiness in the distance; The wise man grows it under his feet."* Spring Concert (1, 2); Girls' Meet (1, 2); Girl Reserves (2, 3, 4); After School Activities (1, 2); Courtesy Squad (1, 2, 3, 4); French Club (4); G. A. A. (1); Current Events Club (4); Junior Girls' Glee (1); Senior Girls' Glee (2); A Cappella (4); Biology Club (4); Helios Ad Staff (4) • **Marian Jean Barclay** *"Maiden with the meek brown eyes, In whose orbs a shadow lies Like the dusk in evening skies!"* Junior Literary Staff (1, 2); Senior Literary Staff (4); Conservation Club (2, 3); Biology Club (4); Art Club Secretary (3, 4); Pen and Pencil Club (3, 4); Monitor (4); After School Activities (3).

• **Dale Ward Bearss** *Our salesman.* Band (2, 3, 4); Hi-Y (3, 4); C Club (3, 4); Baseball (3); Assistant Baseball Coach (4); Phy-Chem Club (4); Baseball Sales (4); Numeral Day Committee (4); Vice-President of C Club • **Barry Wentworth Be Ment** *A friend to all — that's Barry* • **William Sessions Bennett** *Our loss. He can do so many things well.* Classical Club (3, 4); President (4); Math Club (3, 4); National Honor Society (3, 4); Vice-President (4); Student Council (3); Senior Usher (4); Sock and Buskin (4); Director of Vodvil (3); Script Reader. Senior Play (4); Basketball Manager (1, 2, 3); Head Manager (3); Tennis Team (2, 3, 4); Debating Team (4); C Club; Co-Director Exchange Assembly (4); Speech Assembly (4); Helios Business Staff (1, 2, 3, 4); Business Manager (4) • **Donald Frederick Benson** *One in a million.* Student Council (1); R. O. T. C. (1, 2, 3, 4); Bars and Chevrons Club (4).





• Frank Garrity Beuker *Our tall blond.* Vodvil (4); Senior Play Committee (4); Hi-Y (4); Phy-Chem (4); Current Events (4); Courtesy Squad (4) • Rose Effie Beuker *"For her own person, It beggar'd all description."* Courtesy Squad (1, 2, 3, 4); Manager (4); Senior Play Committee (4); President of Phy-Chem Club (4); Sock and Buskin Club (4); Chairman of Make-up Committee for Vodvil (4); Decoration Committee for Junior-Senior Prom (3, 4); Red Cross Representative (3, 4); Literary Staff of Helios (3, 4); Pen and Ring Committee (4); R. O. T. C. Sponsor (2, 3, 4); P. T. A. Senior Night Committee (4); Bars and Chevrons Club (2, 3, 4); Vice-President (3); Secretary (4); Helios Typist (3, 4); Memorial Committee (4) • Flossie Jean Bidelman *"The grass stoops not, She treads so light."* Monitor (1); Senior Girl Reserves (1, 2); Domecon Club (2, 3, 4); Biology Club (3, 4); Secretary (4) • Agnes Ellen Biggs *"A merry heart goes all the day."* Monitor (1, 2, 3, 4); Girls' Glee Club (2, 3); Helios (1, 2, 4); Conservation Club (4); Biology Club (4); Girl Reserves (4); Current Events (4); Senior Play Poster Committee (4); Committees for Class Song and P. T. A. Night (4).

• Charles Richard Bilby *A good mixer.* • Hugh Webster Blacklock *"F. D. R." Blacklock.* Choir (2, 3); Track (1, 3, 4); Glee Club (1); Current Events Club (4); Operetta (3) • Betsy Anne Blandford *A grand person to know.* Numeral Day Committee (4); Courtesy Squad (1, 2, 3); Courtesy Squad Manager (4); Costume Committee for Vodvil (4); Helios Ad Staff (4); French Club (3, 4); Current Events Club (4); Domecon Club (2, , 4); Vice-President (4); G. A. A. (4); Secretary of Phy-Chem Club (4) • Coles William Bloomer *We'll miss Bill, the Jack-of-all-trades.*

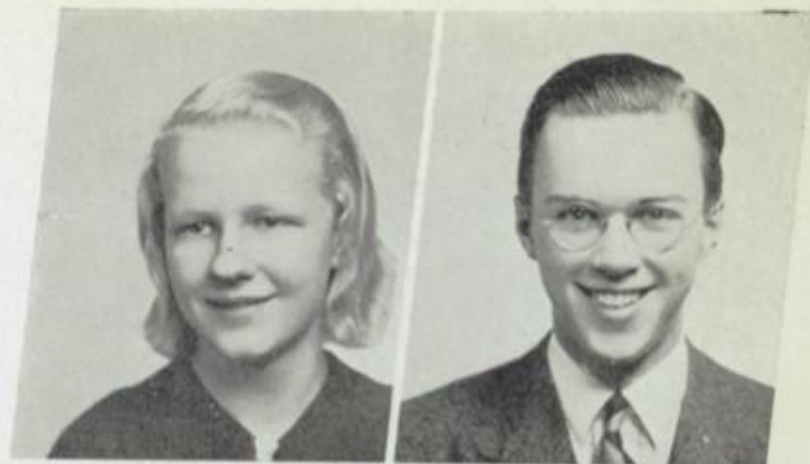
• Florence Elizabeth Bogdanik *"A load is light that is cheerfully borne"* Current Events Club (2, 3, 4); Courtesy Squad (1, 2); Domecon Club (2, 3, 4); Baseball Team (1, 2); Vodvil Property Committee (3); Girls' Meet (2, 3); Relay Team (2); Conservation Club (2, 3, 4); Basketball Team (1) • Dennis Junior Booker *How will they fill his place in baseball?* Baseball (3, 4); Vodvil (4); Intramurals (1, 2, 3); Football (2nd Team) (1) • Frieda Elise Braun *"My book and heart Must never part."* Union High School (1, 2); President of the Session Room Club (1, 2); Spanish Club (1, 2); Member of Athletic Board (2); Central High School (3, 4); National Honor Society (4) • Katherine Stiles Brower *Sweet and sentimental.*

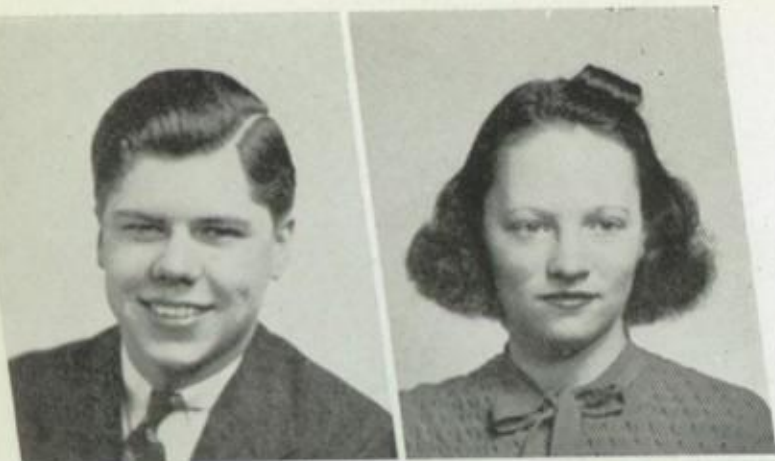


• **Margaret Mary Brown** *Co-operative in every way.* Numeral Day Committee (4); Ping-Pong Tournament (2, 3) • **Nathan Howard Bryant, Jr.** *"Life is too short for mean anxieties."* Basketball Manager (1, 2, 3); Sock and Buskin Club (4); Phy-Chem (3, 4); Senior Play Cast (4); Property Committee (4); Stage Crew (2); Session Room Track (3); Courtesy Squad (1); Exchange Assembly (4); Vodvil (3, 4); Intramurals (1); Helios-Circulation Staff (1); Business Staff (3, 4) • **Theresa Marie Burggraaf** *A quiet, willing senior.* Domecon Club (3, 4); Courtesy Squad (3, 4) • **Leslie Rixson Burnett** *"Genius is born and can never be taught."* Math Club (2, 3, 4); Phy-Chem (3, 4); President (3); Current Events Club (4); Usher (4); Stage Crew (Vodvil and Senior Play); Courtesy Squad (1, 2, 3); Class Day Committee (4); Track (3); Session Room Track (2); Honor Society (4).

• **Jack Matheson Burr** *Good fellow — tops in all.* Football (2, 3, 4); Tennis (2, 3, 4); Baseball Score (2); Intramurals (2, 3); Vodvil (3); Senior Play Committee (4); Assistant in Annual Music Concert Helios (4); Phy-Chem (4); Hi-Y (4); Exchange Assembly (4); Junior-Senior Prom Committee (3, 4) • **Ivan Delbert Butler** *We all know his worth.* Orchestra (1, 2); Monitor (1, 2, 3); Publicity for Annual • **Louis Ernest Cain** *A soldier should be modest as a maid.* Band (1); R. O. T. C. (1, 2, 3, 4); Firing Squad (2); Rifle Team (4); Bars and Chevrons (3, 4); First Sergeant (4); Usher at Houseman Field (2, 3, 4); Monitor (3) • **Robert Lynde Campion** *Class Chemist.* Monitor (1); Red Cross (1); Phy-Chem (3, 4); Math Club (3); National Honor Society (4).

• **June Marie Carlson** *A real friend to those who know her.* G. A. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Girl Reserves (4); Senior Orchestra (1, 2, 3, 4); Girls' Meet (1, 2, 3, 4); Monitor (3) • **Marian Eleanor Carlson** *Maybe she fools us with her innocent look.* French Club (3, 4); Courtesy Squad (1, 2, 3, 4); Volleyball (1); Basketball (1) • **Clare Frances Chase** *A lovely lady with a lovely voice.* Basketball (2); Volleyball (1, 2); Hockey (1, 2); Monitor (2, 4); Current Events (4); G. A. A. (1, 2); Senior Girl Reserves (4); Senior Play Committee (4) • **Mary Belle Chesebrough** *Determination will carry you far.* Domecon Club (2, 3, 4); Secretary (4); G. A. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Volleyball (1, 2, 3, 4); Basketball (1, 2, 3, 4); Hockey (2, 3, 4); Badminton (4); Baseball (1, 2, 3); French Club (3, 4); President (4); Agona Club (3, 4); President (4); Current Events (4); National Honor Society (4); Student Council (4); Courtesy Squad (1, 2); Costume Committee Senior Play (4); P. T. A. Senior Banquet Committee (4); Girls' Meet (1, 2, 3).





• **Maryon Robbins Clark** *"A willing heart lends feather to the heel."* Conservation Club (2, 3); Girls' Meet (2, 3); A Cappella Choir (4); Monitor (1, 2, 3); Spring Concert (4); Penny Carnival (1, 2); After School Activities (3); Vodvil (2, 3) • **Robert Lee Clark** *An all-round good fellow.* Football (2, 3, 4); Baseball (3); Track (4); Hi-Y (2, 3, 4); A Cappella Choir (4); Courtesy Squad (1, 2; Spring Concert (4) • **David Henning Conger** *"Bid me discourse, I will enchant thine ear."* Senior Usher; Tennis; Football (3); Basketball (1, 2, 3, 4); Model Airplane Club (2, 3, 4); Current Events Club (2, 3); Phy-Chem (2, 3); Helios Staff (1, 2, 3, 4); Helios Advertising Manager; Conservation Club (3, 4); Boys' Glee Club (1, 2); Ring Committee Chairman; Epithet Committee; Penny Carnival; Student Council; Exchange Assembly; Class Day Committee • **Dorothy Kathryn Cotton** *In virtue rich.* Courtesy Squad (2, 4); Senior Glee Club (1).



• **Phyllis Craig** *"Charming is as charming does."* Classical Club (3, 4); Secretary (4); Junior Literary Staff Advisor (4); Chairman of Class Day Program Committee; French Club (3, 4); Girl Advisor of Senior Class; G. A. A. (3); Red Cross (3); Helios Representative (3); Girls' Meet (1, 2); National Honor Society, Vice-President (4); Current Events Club (4); Costume Committee for Vodvil (3); Phy-Chem (4); Monitor (1); Property Committee for Vodvil (4); Chairman Publicity Committee for Senior Play (4); Secretary of Junior Class (3) • **Richard Bruce Crowe** *"O pretty boy, trust not too much to your rosy looks."* Phy-Chem (2, 3, 4); C Club (2, 3, 4); Hi-Y (1, 2); Score Board (1, 2); Stage Crew (1, 2, 3, 4); Assistant Stage Manager (4); Basketball Manager (1, 2); Baseball (1, 2); Track (1, 2); A Cappella Choir (1, 2, 3); Operetta Stage Director (3); Vodvil (1, 2, 3, 4); Get Acquainted-Week Chairman (4); Monitor (1, 2); Memorial Committee (4); Tennis (1, 2); Choir-Nativity (3) • **Herman Elmer Curtis, Jr.** *Sorry to lose "Minnie the Moocher."* Baseball (3, 4); Vodvil (4); Intramurals (1, 2, 3) • **Ruth Thelma Curtis** *Cheerful in all her endeavor.* Senior Girl Reserves (1, 2, 4); Conservation Club (3, 4); Current Events Club (3, 4); Monitor (1, 2); Girls' Meet (1, 2, 3); Glee Club (1, 2); Junior-Senior Prom Committee (3); Penny Carnival (2); Co-chairman Senior Get-Together (4).



• **Jackson Russell Day** *He would put Cicero to shame.* Declamation (2); Courtesy Squad (3); Student Council (3, 4); Editor Exchange Assembly (3, 4); Debate (3, 4); Pen and Pencil (3); Sock and Buskin (3, 4); President (4); Manager of Courtesy Squad (4); Phy-Chem Club (4); Class Day Orator; President Inter High School Student Council; Vodvil (4); Announcement Committee (4); Senior Play (3, 4) • **John Edward DeGroot** *Our airplane champion brings us fame.* Football (2, 3, 4); Baseball (2, 3, 4); Hi-Y (2, 3, 4); President (4); Senior Play (4); Helios (4); Intramurals (1); Model Airplane Club (1, 2, 3, 4); Vice President (3); President (4) • **Edith Violet Deklien** *We have found her useful in many lines.* Conservation Club Treasurer (3, 4); Biology Club (4); Girls' Meet (3); Pen and Pencil Club (4); Helios Staff (4); Monitor (3, 4) • **Jack Henry Demmink** *Sports and music occupied his time.* Football (4); Wrestling (2); Band (1, 2, 3, 4); Hi-Y (4); Trumpet Trio (2, 3); Vodvil (4); Exchange Assembly (4); Spring Concert (2, 3, 4); Orchestra (3); Glee Club (2).



• **Marian June De Vries** *Age cannot weather "Breeze," nor custom stale her infinite variety.* Senior Play; Sock and Buskin; G. A. A.; Vodvil (2, 3, 4); Helios Staff (1, 2, 3, 4); Classical Club (2, 3, 4); Secretary (4); Phy-Chem Club (3, 4); Chairman Entertainment Committee; Orchestra (1, 2); Monitor (1, 2, 3); Noon Recreation Committee; Exchange Assembly Cast; Helios Typist (3); Current Events Club (4); Girls' Meet (1, 2, 3) • **Ellyeen Lavinia Dykhuizen** *One of the cheerful type.* Marywood (1, 2); Phy-Chem (3); Glee Club (3); Choir (4); Art Club (4); Vodvil (4); Current Events (4); Helios, Circulation (4); Publicity, Senior Play (4); Spring Concert (4) • **Kathryn Iris Ebel** *She left too soon for us.* Monitor (1, 2, 4); Domecon Club (2, 3); Biology Club (4); Girls' Meet (1, 2) • **Muriel Maytum Efty** *A blithe heart makes her popular.* Glee Club (1); French Club (2, 3, 4); G. A. A. (3); After School Activities (3); Current Events (3); Phy-Chem (3, 4); Red Cross (3, 4); Treasurer (4); Anti-T. B. Representative (3, 4); Co-chairman Junior-Senior Prom (3); Girls' Meet (1, 3); Class Day Committee; Senior Play Cast; Vodvil Make-Up Committee (4).

• **Eileen Vivian Eggen** *Let's have lots and lots of fun.* Spring Concert (2); Junior Glee Club (1, 2); Senior Glee Club (1, 2); Penny Carnival (1); Gym Meet (1, 3); Conservation Club (2, 3); Biology Club (4); Monitor (1, 3, 4); After School Activities; Volleyball, Baseball (1, 2) • **Donald Jack Emaus** *A pal that is a pal.* Band (1, 2, 3); Golf (3); Baseball (4) • **Lorraine Faasfe** *They don't come any better.* Biology Club (2, 3, 4); Vice-President (3, 4); Courtesy Squad (1, 2, 3, 4); Junior Girls' Glee Club (1); Junior Chorus (1); After School Activities (1, 2, 3) • **Paula Helen Fecht** *Efficiency personified.* After School Activities (1, 2, 3, 4); G. A. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Courtesy Squad (1); Helios Representative (1); Current Events (3, 4); Agona Club (3, 4); Treasurer (4); Girls' Meet (1, 2, 3); Pen and Pencil (3, 4).

• **Grethe Fibiger** *An artist of unique ability.* Girls' Meet (1, 2); G. A. A. (2, 3); Operetta Costume Designing (3); Vodvil Scenery (4); Biology Club (4); Art Club (2), Vice-President (3); Monitor (1, 4); Helios Art Staff (3, 4); Christmas Assembly (3); Senior Play Scenery (4); After School Activities (1, 2, 3); Senior Play; Assembly (4) • **Margaret Louise Force** *Easy to talk with and fun to laugh with.* South High (1, 2); Phy-Chem Club (4); Glee Club (3); Current Events Club (4); Red Cross (4); Senior Play Program Committee (4); Courtesy Squad (4) • **Clayton Simon Francke** *Lefty is as right as they make them.* Band (1, 2, 3, 4); Orchestra (2); Spring Concert (1, 2, 3, 4); Trumpet Trio (3); Vodvil (4) • **Jack Junior Frey** *He can do many a thing — not least of them, sing.* Monitor (1, 2); Junior Chorus (1); Boys' Glee Club (2); Phy-Chem (2, 3); Penny Carnival (1); A Cappella Choir (3, 4), President (4); Current Events Club (3, 4); Vodvil (3, 4); Operetta (3); Pen and Pencil (3); Cheer Leader (2, 3); Motto Committee (4); Numeral Day Orator (4); Choir (4); Senior Play (4); Sock and Buskin (4); Exchange Assembly (4); Senior Octette (4).





• **Marion Nella Friedrich** *So modest half her worth unknown.* Monitor (1); Art Club (2, 3, 4), Secretary (3); Operetta Committee (3); French Club (4); Vodvil Committee (4); Senior Play Committee (4); Helios Staff (3, 4); Senior Class Decorations Committee (4)

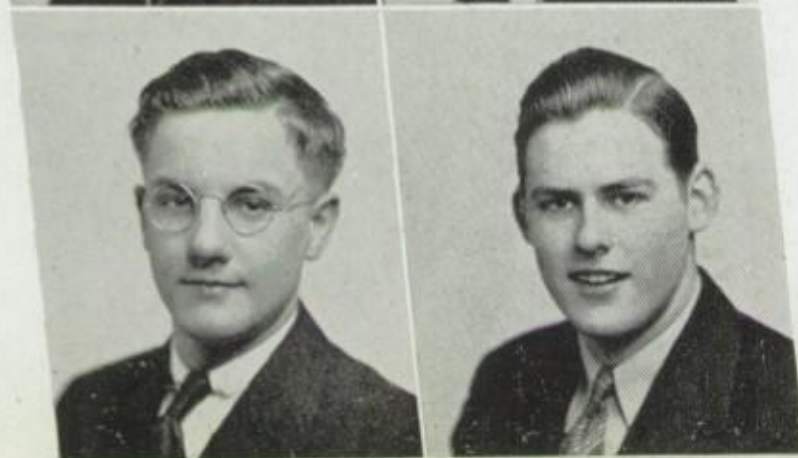
• **Aileen Lois Fuller** *Her poise and friendliness demand confidence.* G. A. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Agona (4); Girls' Meet (1, 2, 3, 4), Manager of Girls' Meet (3); Manager of Baseball (3); Phy-Chem (4); Monitor (1, 2, 3); Girl Reserves (1); Helios Circulation Staff (3); Manager Circulation (4); Ticket Committee for Senior Play (4); Make-up Committee for Vodvil (3) • **Kathleen Kay Fuson** *We wonder if her interest at Central is South?* Conservation Club (2, 3); Courtesy Squad (2, 3); Senior Girl Reserves (4); Publicity Committee; Senior Play (4); Senior Prom Committee (4); Helios Staff (4) • **Nancy Jane Fyfe** *"Where'er she turns the Graces homage pay."* National Honor Society (4); Registrar (4); Pen and Pencil Club (3, 4); Current Events Club (4); Monitor (1, 2); Photograph Committee (4); Junior Girls' Glee Club (1).



• **Christina Mary Garriock** *Sunny Maisie is an artist.* Volley Ball (1, 2, 3); Basket Ball (2, 3); Indoor (1, 2, 3, 4); Senior Girl Reserves (3, 4); Current Events Club (3, 4); Conservation (1, 2, 3, 4); G. A. A. (2, 3, 4); Monitor (1, 2, 3, 4); Senior Play Committee (4); Badminton Tournament (4); Domecon (3, 4); Art Club (4); Vodvil Committee (4); Helios Typist (4); Track Meet (2, 3) • **John Russell Geyer** *How can such an actor be so modest?* Classical Club (3, 4); Math Club (3, 4); Sock and Buskin (4); Vice-President (4); Phy-Chem (3, 4); Senior Play (4); Vodvil (3); Monitor (2); Entertainment Committee (4); Debate (4); Helios Business Staff (3, 4); Basketball (2); Exchange Assembly (4); Junior Class Publicity Manager (3) • **Charles Edgar Allen Gogo, Jr.** *Our athlete does not take to dancing but —* First Team Football (2, 3, 4); Second Team Football (1); First Team Baseball (1, 2, 3, 4), Captain (4); All City (3); C Club (2, 3, 4); Monitor (2, 3); Second Team Basketball (2, 3); Glee Club (1, 2) • **Stanford George William Graham** *And a mighty trumpeter was he.* Band (1, 2, 3, 4); Orchestra (3, 4); R. O. T. C. (1, 2, 3); Bars and Chevrons Club (2, 3); Biology Club (4); Camera Club (4); Chairman of Photographs Committee (4); Senior Play Program Committee (4); Mock Election Committee (4); Class Day Committee (4).



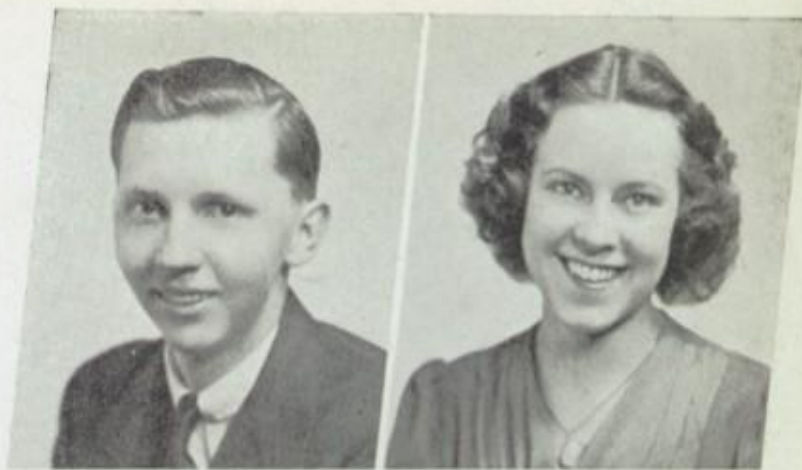
• **Martha Rose Grau** *Music — Meekness — Martha.* Senior Orchestra (1, 2, 3, 4); Conservation Club (3); Courtesy Squad (4); Volleyball (2) • **Madeline Green** *Malice toward none — just fun.* Girl Reserves; Conservation • **Louis Tredway Haglund** *Service is his motto.* Conservation Club (2, 3, 4), President (4); R. O. T. C. (1, 2, 3, 4); Monitor (2); Bars and Chevrons Club (3, 4); Student Council (4) • **Maurice Carl Hample** *We shall miss his artistic hand.* R. O. T. C. (3, 4); Bars and Chevrons Club (4); Art Club (4); Monitor (4); C Club (3, 4); Manager, Football (1); Head Football (3); Athletics (4); Conservation Club (4); Mock Election Committee (4); Color and Flower Committee (4); Vodvil Advertising (4); Senior Play Advertising (4); Helios Ad Staff (4); Art Staff (4).

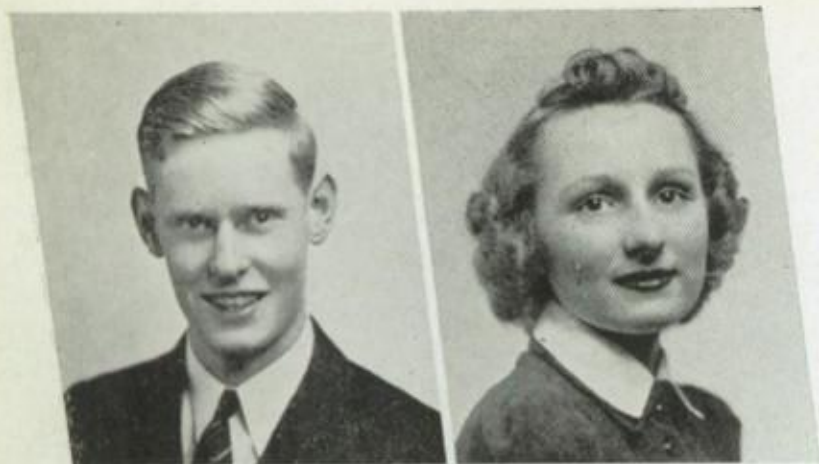


• **Andrew Evald Hanson, Jr.** *He never lacks a sense of humor.* Band (1, 2, 3, 4); Orchestra (3, 4); Glee Club (3, 4); Operetta (3); Courtesy Squad (3); Drum Major (4) • **Evelyn Marjorie Harmon** *She's a good companion.* Girls' Meet (1, 2, 3, 4); Baseball (1, 2, 3, 4); Volleyball • **Elizabeth Ann Harris** *"Take the good the gods provide thee."* Monitor (3, 4); Girl Reserves (3, 4); Pen and Pencil (4) • **Doris Emily Hemmes** *A friend in need is a friend indeed.* Courtesy Squad (1, 2, 3, 4); Junior and Senior Girls' Glee Club (1, 2); Senior Girl Reserves (1); Senior Class Announcement Committee (4); After School Activities (1, 2); Girls' Meet (1, 2); Track Meet (1, 2); Baseball (4); Volley Ball (1, 2, 3).

• **Lewis Charles Harris, Jr.** *Everything required to make a success.* Monitor (1, 2); Phy-Chem (3); Vodvil (3) • **Kenneth Waring Hewitt** *I thrive on swing.* Orchestra (1, 2, 3); Band (1, 2); Vodvil (1, 2, 3, 4); Track (1, 3, 4); Basketball (1); Golf (2); Entertainment Committee (3, 4); Chairman (3); Helios Staff (2, 3, 4); Senior Play Cast (4); Exchange Assembly (3, 4) • **Miriam Rexford Hoag** *Her dancing will make her famous.* Courtesy Squad (1, 2, 3); Junior Girls' Glee Club (1); Senior Girls' Glee Club (2, 3); A Cappella Choir (4); Girls' Meet (1, 2, 3); Art Club (3, 4); Red Cross (1, 2); Conservation Club (3); Booster Club (1); Letter Writing Contest (1st prize, 1) • **Margaret Ruth Hoebeke** *We admire her persistence.* Monitor (1, 2, 3, 4); Girls' Glee, Junior (1), Senior (2, 3, 4); Senior Choir (3, 4); Spring Concert (3, 4).

• **Marian Gertrude Hoebeke** *There's nothing impossible for a willing hand.* G. A. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Monitor (1, 2); Girls' Meet (1, 2, 3); Ping-Pong Tournament (3, 4); Junior Glee Club (1); Senior Glee Club (2); After School Activities (1, 2, 3, 4) • **Jane Susanne Houseman** *"Ab, Youth! Forever dear, forever kind."* Courtesy Squad (1, 3); Junior Girls' Glee Club (1); Senior Girls' Glee Club; Girl Reserves (2, 4); Girls' Meet (1) • **Mary Lynn Huntley** *Cupid doesn't work for her, She works for him.* Vodvil (2, 3, 4); Operetta (3); Choir (2, 3, 4); Domecon (2, 3, 4); G. A. A. (2); Senior Play Ticket Committee; Courtesy Squad (2, 3, 4); Junior-Senior Prom Committee (3, 4); Spring Concert (2, 4); Junior Chorus (1); Junior Girls' Glee Club (1); Girls' Meet (1, 2); Choir Capers Ticket Committee (4) • **Patricia Ann Idema** *Ab! That musical laugh.* Courtesy Squad (1, 2, 3); Domecon Club (4); Vodvil (1, 3); Junior-Senior Prom Committee (3); Helios Circulation and Ad Staff (4); Senior Photograph Committee (4).





• Franklin Philip Jacobs *Absent in body, but present in spirit.* Vodvil (3); Math Club (3, 4); Phy-Chem (3, 4) • Mildred Patricia Ann Karpenia *Millie is our personality girl.* French Club (2, 3, 4); Current Events Club (4); Monitor (1, 2, 3, 4); Junior Girls' Glee Club; G. A. A. (2, 3, 4); Ping-Pong Tournament (2, 3); Volleyball (1, 2, 3, 4); Hockey (2, 3, 4); Basketball (2, 3, 4); Baseball (1, 2, 3); Tennis Tournament (3, 4); Girls' Meet (1, 2, 3); Vodvil Committee (4); Mock Election Committee (4) • David Paul Keller *"Now when I was in New York."* Basketball (2nd, 1, 2, 3), (1st, 4); Track (3, 4); Hi-Y (3, 4); C Club (4); French Club (3, 4); Conservation Club (1); Senior Usher; Senior Play, Ticket Committee, Usher; Courtesy Squad (2, 3, 4) • Richard Delano Kimball *"No profit grows where is no pleasure ta'en."* Football (2nd, 1, 2); Basketball (2nd, 2); Basketball (1st, 3, 4); Track (3, 4); Hi-Y (2, 3, 4); Phy-Chem Club (3); C Club (4); Exchange Assembly Program (4); Senior Play Committee and Usher (4); Senior Usher (4); Helios Ad Staff (4).

• Helen Yvonne Kinsey *"Ever let the fancy roam Pleasure never is at home."* Senior Girl Reserves (4); Conservation Club (4); G. A. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Current Events Club (4); Hockey (2, 3, 4); Volleyball (1, 2, 3, 4); Indoor (2, 3, 4); Basketball (3, 4); Badminton Singles (3, 4); Ping Pong; Vodvil Committee (4); French Club (2, 3); Helios Typist (4); Track Meet (2, 3); Girls' Meet (2, 3) • Emily Jane Kitzsteiner *"Eyes as deep as the sea, Won't you smile for me?"* G. A. A. (1, 2, 3); Girl Reserves (1, 2); Tennis Champion (3); After School Activities (1, 2, 3); Monitor (1); Girls' Meet (1, 2, 3) • Jacob Klaassen *Actions speak louder than words.* Intramurals (1, 2, 3); Courtesy Squad (2, 3) • William Klaassen, Jr. *Our candid camera friend.* Vodvil (3, 4); Operetta (3); Public Address System Manager (3, 4); Senior Play; Courtesy (2, 3); Radio Club (1); Camera Club (4).

• Lorraine Pauline Kortlander *She laughs and the world laughs with her.* Current Events Club (2, 3, 4); President (4); Phy-Chem Club (3, 4); G. A. A. (2, 3, 4); Hanger Committee (4); Basketball Captain (4); Girls' Meet (1, 2, 3); Vodvil (2); Vodvil Make-up Committee (4); Monitor (1, 2, 3, 4); Senior Play Committee (4); Pen and Pencil Committee (3); After School Activities (1, 2, 3, 4); Epithet Committee (4); Tennis (1, 2, 3, 4) • John Carlton Krueger *This athlete makes all the girls sigh.* Football (1, 2, 3, 4); Basketball (1, 2); Hi-Y (2, 3, 4); Vice-President (4); C Club (4); Band (1, 2, 3, 4); Hi-Y Basketball Captain (3, 4); Intramurals (1, 2, 3, 4) • Adele Lucille Lafferty *We wish our leading lady had come to us sooner.* South High (1, 2, 3); Senior Play (4); Photograph Committee (4); Senior Girl Reserves (2, 3, 4); French Club (4); Senior Honor Society (3, 4) • May Jean Lantz *"And another is born to make the sun forgotten."* Traverse City (1); Classical Club (2, 3, 4); Phy-Chem Club (3, 4); Current Events Club (3, 4); French Club (3, 4); Honor Society (4); Courtesy Squad, Manager (4); Photograph Committee; Costume Committee, Senior Play (4); G. A. A. (4).



• **Edward Eugene Laufer** *"And still the wonder grew that one small head could carry all he knew."* Model Airplane Club (1, 2, 3, 4); Courtesy Squad (2); Math Club (3, 4); Classical Club (3, 4); Chairman, Book Sale (4); Honor Society, President (4); Phy-Chem (4); Motto Committee (4); Chairman, Numeral Day Committee (4); Senior Usher; Helios Ad Staff (4) • **Paul Roger Lawrence** *An honest man's word is as good as his bond.* Saginaw Eastern High School (1, 2); National Honor Society (3, 4); Classical Club (3, 4); Secretary (3); Debating (4); Extemporaneous Speaking (4); Sock and Buskin (4); Phy-Chem (3, 4); Senior Usher; Treasurer of Senior Class; Student Director of Senior Play; Assistant Advertising Manager of Helios; Club Editor, Helios; Math Club (4); Hi-Y (3, 4); Secretary (4); Public Speaking Assembly; Stage Manager of Annual Concert; Tennis (4); Choir Nativity (4) • **Mary Elizabeth Ledbetter** *"Frailty, thy name is woman."* Choir • **George Leestma** *"Keep the golden mean between saying too much and too little."* R. O. T. C. (1, 2, 3, 4); Captain (4); Bars and Chevrons Club (2, 3, 4); A Cappella (3); Conservation Club (2); Boys' Glee Club (1, 2, 3); Camera Club (4).

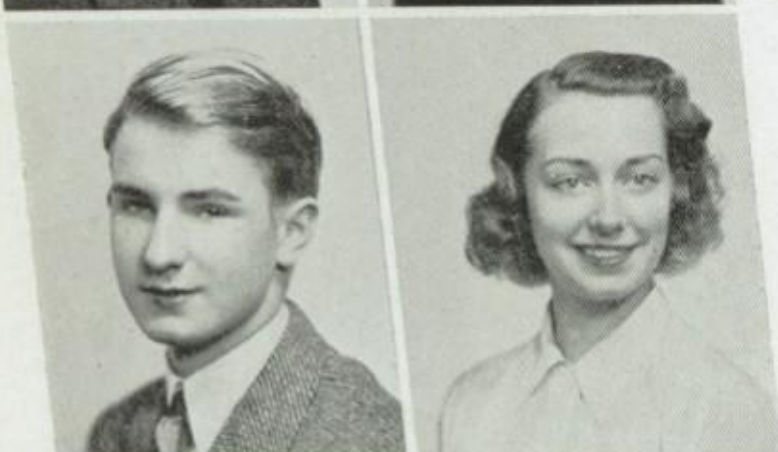
• **Patricia Ann Lemmen** *"We wonder if she talks in her sleep too?"* Domecon (3, 4); Classical Club (3, 4); Current Events Club (3, 4); Pen and Pencil Club (3, 4); Girl Reserves (4); Courtesy Squad (4); Publicity Committee, Senior Play (4); Flower Committee (4) • **Maxine Elaine Lewis** *Her smile attracts all.* Junior Girls' Glee Club (1, 2); Senior Girls' Glee Club (1, 2); Choir (1, 2, 3, 4); Monitor (1, 2); Costumes for Operetta, Nativity; Secretary and President of Art Club; Scenery for Vodvil; Motto and Color Committee • **Sally-ann Lewis** *"She's all my fancy painted her."* Junior Girls' Glee Club (1, 2); Monitor (1, 2); Art Club; Scenery for Vodvil; Posters; Costumes for Senior Play; Art Exhibits (1, 2) • **Gerald Curtis Lipscomb** *Our track star.* Track (1, 2, 3, 4); Football (2, 3, 4); Basketball (1); Secretary of C Club; Senior Usher; Helios Ad Staff.

• **Jean Florence Lockhart** *"She who has a kind heart needs nothing else."* A Cappella Choir (1, 2, 3, 4); G. A. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Spring Concert (1, 2, 3, 4); Operetta (3); Monitor (4); French Club (4); Current Events Club, Vice-President (4); Golf (3); Badminton Manager (3); Girls' Meet (1, 2, 3); Senior Play Committee (4) • **Grace Marie Loucks** *"For she was jes' the quiet kind whose natures never vary."* Art Club (4); Monitor (4); Senior and Poster Committee for Senior Play • **Mable Jane Luton** *She's a sweetheart if there ever was one.* Monitor (1, 2, 3, 4); G. A. A. (2, 3); Hockey (1); Baseball (1, 2, 3, 4); Basketball (2, 3); Volleyball (2, 3); Girls' Meet (3); Senior Play; Vodvil (4); Mock Election Committee; Current Events Club; Helios Staff (1, 2, 3, 4) • **Jack Lyons** *It seems a long time since February.*





• **Marian Esther Macgregor** *A friendly attitude toward all.* Girl Reserves (1); Girls' Meet (1); Senior Orchestra (1, 2, 3, 4); Monitor (2, 3, 4); Conservation Club (4); Vodvil (4) • **Teresa Juanita Elizabeth Maczka** *A charming actress.* Conservation Club (1, 2, 3, 4); Treasurer (3); Secretary (4); Junior Girls' Glee Club (1); Senior Girls' Glee Club (2, 3); Second Choir (3); A Cappella (4); Domecon Club (1, 2, 3, 4); Girl Reserves (3, 4); G. A. A. (2, 3, 4); After School Activities (2, 3, 4); French Club (3, 4); Agona Club (3, 4); Scribe (3); Secretary (4); Spring Concert (2, 3, 4); Operetta (3); Senior Play (4); Memorial Committee (4) • **William Thomas Mahoney** *Always our best dressed boy.* Monitor (1); Football (2nd team) (2, 3); R. O. T. C. (2, 3); Bars and Chevrons (2, 3); Vodvil (3); Vodvil Committee (4); Senior Play Committee (4); Math Club (3, 4); Phy-Chem Club (3, 4); Sock and Buskin (3, 4); Hi-Y Club (4); Junior Class Ring Committee (3); Senior Class Flower and Color Committee (4); Exchange Assembly Committee (4); Helios Ad Staff (4) • **Joy Merle Mohnke** *Her best friend is her mirror.* Choir (3); Courtesy Squad (3, 4); Senior Play Ticket Committee (4); Art Staff, Helios (3, 4); Ad Staff, Helios (4); Junior Red Cross (3, 4).



• **Carroll William McConnell** *Faithful always.* Glee Club (2); Courtesy Squad (2, 3, 4); Phy-Chem Club; Basketball Manager; Senior Play Cast; Senior Committee; Helios Staff (2, 3, 4) • **Elizabeth Vars McCormick** *Our little housewife.* Junior Girls' Glee Club (1); Girls' Meet (1, 2); Courtesy Squad (3); French Club (2, 3, 4); Math Club (4); Phy-Chem Club (4); Senior Play Costume Committee; Helios Business Staff (4) • **William Carl Meyers** *Our musical soldier.* Drum Major (3, 4); Band (1, 2, 3, 4); Vodvil (2, 3); Monitor (1); Choir (1, 2, 3, 4); Glee Club (1, 2, 3, 4); German Band (1, 2); Boys' Octet (1, 2, 3); Orchestra (4); Varsity Quartet (3); R. O. T. C. (1, 2, 3, 4); Hi-Y (1); Penny Carnival (1, 2); Cadet Staff Sergeant; Chief Bugler of Battalion • **Jo Anne Hazel Middel** *We like her, don't you?* Girls' Reserves (1); Courtesy Squad (1, 2, 3); Class Day Committee (4); Numeral Day Committee (4); Girls' Meet (1, 2); Volley Ball (1); Baseball (4).



• **Mary Kathryn Middleton** *A regular girl — sincere, loyal.* Courtesy Squad (2); G. A. A. Treasurer (3); President (4); Student Council (4); Classical Club (3, 4); Current Events Club (3, 4); Chairman Senior Play Program Committee; Class Day Committee (4); Memorial Committee (4) • **James Earl Morgenstern** *"Time elaborately thrown away."* Monitor (1); Basketball (2nd team) (1, 2, 3); Track (1, 2, 3, 4); Football (2nd team) (2, 3); Football (4); C Club (3, 4); Committee for Junior-Senior Prom (3) • **Gladys Jeane Myckowiak** *"Gentleness succeeds better than violence."* After School Activities (1, 2); Girl Reserves (1, 4); Girls' Glee Club, Junior (1), Senior (2); A Cappella Choir (3, 4); Vodvil (1); Operetta (3); Monitor (1, 2); Girls' Meet (1, 2, 3); Helios Literary Staff (1, 2) • **Mary Jane Nelson** *It is doing your noblest — that's success.* Girls' Meet (1); Junior Girls' Glee Club (1); After School Activities (1); Courtesy Squad (2, 3); Current Events Club (3, 4); Art Club (4); Phy-Chem Club (4); Numeral Day Committee (4); Epithet Committee (4); Helios Art Staff (4).



• **Margaret Mae Nichols** *"How partial is the voice of fame."* National Honor Society (1); Inter-High Symphony Orchestra (2); Band (2, 3); Conservation Club (4); Biology Club (4); Announcement Committee (4); Courtesy Squad (3, 4); Vodvil (4); Helios Literary Staff (4); French Club (4); Senior Orchestra (1, 2, 3, 4); Courtesy Squad Manager (4); Pen and Pencil (4); Phy-Chem (4)

• **Arthur Ferguson Northrup** *The ol' right handy.* Monitor (1); Football (2nd team) (1, 2), (1st team) (4); Senior Usher (3, 4); Vodvil (3); Baseball (3)

• **Francis O'Betts** *"We have been friends together, in sunshine and in shade."* R. O. T. C. (3, 4); Glee Club (3); Classical Club (4); Conservation Club (4)

• **Marjorie Ogren** *A tender heart, too warm for hate.* Track Meet (1, 2); Jr. Girls' Glee Club (1); Senior Girls' Glee Club (2); Domecon Club (2, 3, 4); Registrar (4); French Club (3, 4); Courtesy Squad (4).

• **Robert Ellis Olson** *He will go far in his chosen field.* Basketball (1, 2); Track (2, 3); Football (2nd, 2); (1st, 3, 4); Band (1, 2, 4); Orchestra (1, 2, 3, 4); Conservation Club (2, 3, 4); Hi-Y (3, 4); Current Events Club (3, 4); Student Council (4); Senior Play Usher; Men's Octette; Exchange Assembly Committee; C Club (4)

• **Betty Jane Ossewarde** *"The gentleness of all the gods go with thee."* Monitor (4)

• **Donald Overbeek** *"Where he succeeds the merit's all his own."* Phy-Chem (4); Camera (4); Track (3)

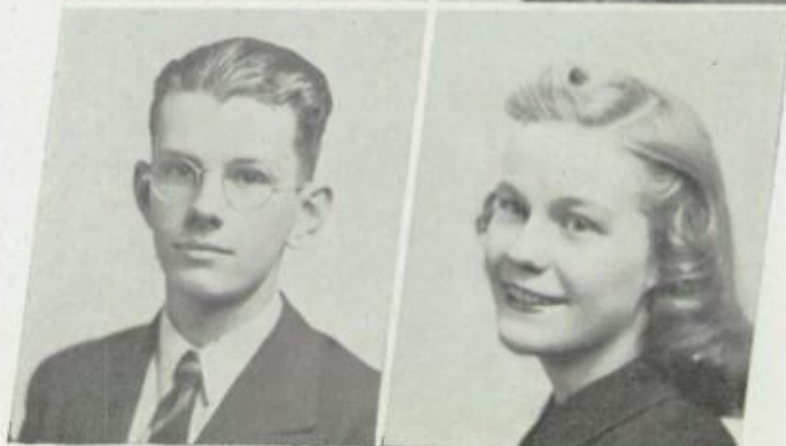
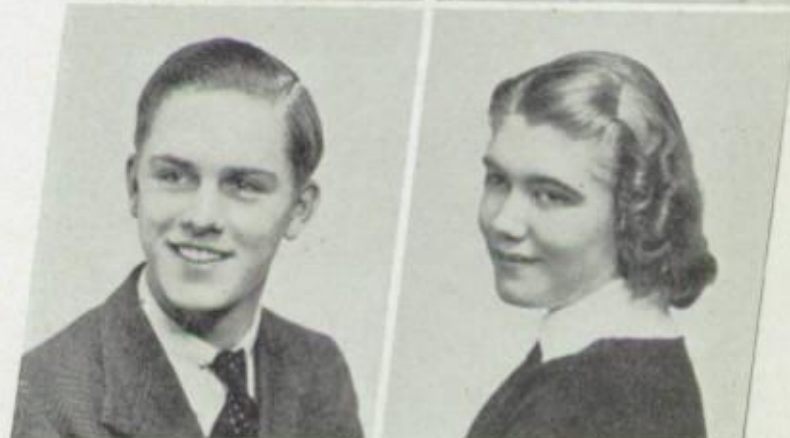
• **Frances Lillian Page** *A healthy mind in a healthy body.* Girl Reserves (1, 4); Monitor (1, 3); Girls' Meet (2); After School Activities (1, 2).

• **Nancy Eaton Palmer** *Our cutest girl.* "Quality Street" (1); Student Council (1, 3, 4); National Honor Society (4); Classical Club (3, 4), Secretary (3), Vice-President (4); Math Club (3, 4), President (4); Sock and Buskin Club (4); Operetta (3); Vodvil (1, 3, 4); Dance Director (4); Assistant Business Manager Helios (4); Girls' Meet (1, 2, 3); G. A. A. (3); Basketball; Baseball; Courtesy Squad (1), Manager (3), General Manager (4); Exchange Assembly (4); French Club (4); Senior Play Costume Committee

• **Doris Jean Parkhurst** *"Sometimes I don't know what to think about love."* Monitor (1, 3, 4); Junior Girls' Glee Club (4); Vodvil (4); Math Club (3, 4); Senior Honor Society Treasurer (4); Helios Typist (4); A Cappella Choir (4); Motto Committee (4); Senior Play (4); After School Activities, Hockey (2); Spring Concert (4); Girls' Meet (2, 3); Exchange Assembly Committee (4); Octette Accompanist

• **Max Hilton Pearse** *Our "Lover."* R. O. T. C. (1, 2, 3), Award (3); Classical Club (4); National Announcement Committee Chairman; Ticket Committee; Conservation (1, 2, 3, 4); President (3); Current Events (2); Sock and Buskin (3, 4); Treasurer (4); Pen and Pencil (3, 4); Vice-President (4); Debating (4); Oratory (4)

• **Betty Anne Peterson** *"For all that faire is, is by nature good."* Jr. Girls' Glee Club (1, 2, 3); Monitor (2, 3, 4); Vodvil Props (3); Senior Play Tickets (4); Motto Committee (4); French Club (3, 4); Current Events Club (4); Phy-Chem Club (3, 4); Helios Typist (3, 4).





• Robert John Tyden Peterson *"I am fond of the company of ladies."*

• Maxine Myrtle Petoskey *May Central's Light travel far.* Junior Girls' Glee Club (1); Girls' Meet (1); Monitor (1, 2); Spring Concert (1); Biology Club (4); Math Club (4); National Honor Society (4)

• Lillian Louise Putra *Reliable and full of fun.* Hockey Team (1, 2); G. A. A. (2); Volleyball (1, 2); Girls' Meet (2); Monitor (2, 4); Ping Pong Tournament (2); Senior Play Committee; Numeral Day Committee; Class Day Committee • Robert James Rice *He never let schoolwork interfere with his education.*



• Robert William Richter *The strong silent type. He knows his airplanes.* Monitor (1); Football (2nd, 1, 2); (1st, 4); Baseball (3); "C" Club (4); Airplane Club (4) • Edward Ripmaster *Our genial friend of athletic fame.* Football (1, 2, 3); Basketball (1, 2, 3); Track (2); Operetta (3); Vodvil (4); "C" Club; Hi-Y Club; Exchange Assembly (4); Boys' Octette; Spring Concert (1, 2, 3, 4); A Cappella (1, 2, 3, 4)

• Jean Rolfe *A little girl with a big heart.* Senior Orchestra (1, 2, 3, 4); String Ensemble (1, 2, 3, 4); String Trio (4); Spring Concert (1, 2, 3, 4); Biology Club (3, 4); Conservation Club (1, 2, 3, 4); Domecon Club (4); Girl Reserves (2, 3, 4); Girls' Meet (1, 2, 3); Volleyball (1, 2, 3) • Laura Harriet Rood *"To secure the true riches of life we must live deeply."*

National Honor Society, Secretary (4); Math Club (3, 4); Le Cercle Francais (4); Current Events (3, 4); Agona Club (4), Vice-President; Numeral Day Committee; Courtesy Squad (1, 2, 3, 4); Helios—Ad Staff (3, 4), Publicity Staff (4); Chairman of Senior Color and Decoration Committee; Senior Play Property Committee; Junior Girls' Glee Club; Vodvil Publicity Committee (2, 3); Vodvil Scenery Committee (4); Phy-Chem (4); Penny Carnival (1); Girls' Athletic Association (3, 4); Badminton Manager (4); Girls' Meet (1, 2, 3).



• Walter Alfred Runstrom, Jr. *"Every man has his fault, and honesty is his."* Intramurals (1); Courtesy Squad (1); Football (2nd team); Basketball (2nd team) • John Alexander Sarjeant *He makes a lot of noise but no one ever hears him.* Assistant Track Manager (1); Pen and Pencil Club (3); Phy-Chem Club (3); Senior Usher; Camera Club (4) • Barbara Ruth Scheffer *Quiet, unassuming, liked by all.* Glee Club (1, 2); Choir (3, 4); Operetta (3); Vodvil (3, 4); Volleyball (1); Basketball (2); Girls' Meet (1, 2); Announcement Committee; Courtesy Squad (4); Helios Typist (4); Literary Staff (1); Phy-Chem (3, 4); Current Events Club (3, 4); Junior Red Cross • Paul Hugo Schwan *There is something about a soldier!* Glee Club (1); Band (2, 3, 4); Orchestra (4); R. O. T. C. (2, 3); Vodvil (3); Senior Play Committee; Golf (4); Camera Club (4)

• Barbara Ruth Scheffer *Quiet, unassuming, liked by all.* Glee Club (1, 2); Choir (3, 4); Operetta (3); Vodvil (3, 4); Volleyball (1); Basketball (2); Girls' Meet (1, 2); Announcement Committee; Courtesy Squad (4); Helios Typist (4); Literary Staff (1); Phy-Chem (3, 4); Current Events Club (3, 4); Junior Red Cross • Paul Hugo Schwan *There is something about a soldier!* Glee Club (1); Band (2, 3, 4); Orchestra (4); R. O. T. C. (2, 3); Vodvil (3); Senior Play Committee; Golf (4); Camera Club (4)

• Paul Hugo Schwan *There is something about a soldier!* Glee Club (1); Band (2, 3, 4); Orchestra (4); R. O. T. C. (2, 3); Vodvil (3); Senior Play Committee; Golf (4); Camera Club (4)

• Shirley Lou Schafer *She got ahead of us.*

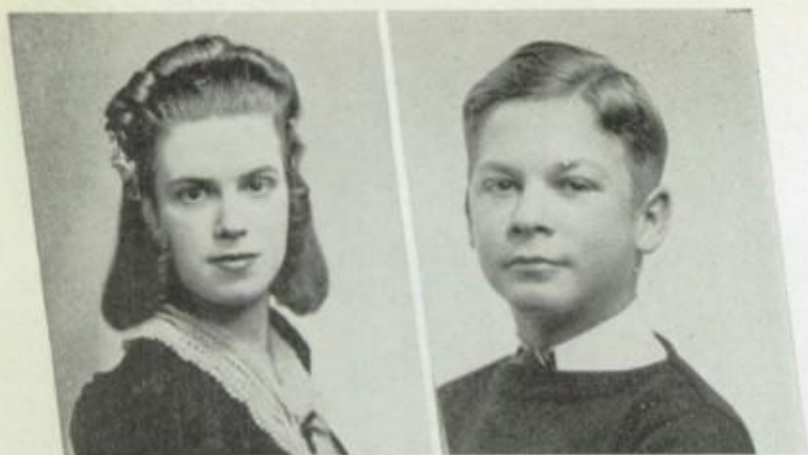


• **Bernard Richard Sikkema** *Our Silent Partner.* • **Robert John Sikors** *Oh, the luxury of disrespect.* Track (1, 2); Football (2nd, 3), (1st, 4); Track Manager (3); Volleyball (3); Intramurals (1, 2, 3); Session Room Basketball (2, 3) • **Loretta Jane Slinger** *A mighty spirit fills that little frame.* Domecon Club (1); Costume Design for Operetta (3); French Club (3, 4); Art Club (3, 4); Monitor (4); Poster Committee for Senior Play (4) • **Erling Martin Smestad** *So quiet, but a dependable good fellow underneath.* Football (2nd, 2); R. O. T. C. (1, 2); Rifle Team (2); Track (3).

• **William Howard Solomon** *"Those curious locks so aptly twin'd, Whose every hair a soul doth bind."* Orchestra (1, 2, 3); Hall Service (1, 2); Penny Carnival (1, 2); Stage Crew (1, 2); Track (1); Basketball (1); Glee Club (4) • **John Theodore Staff** *"We may our end by our beginnings know."* R. O. T. C.; Current Events Club • **Dorothy Starzak** *A good sport and a fine friend to all who know her.* Jr. Girls' Glee Club (1); Sr. Girls' Glee Club (2); Courtesy Squad (1, 2, 3); Biology Club (3, 4); Treasurer (4); French Club (3, 4); Helios Literary Staff, Junior (1, 2); Senior (3, 4); Pen and Pencil Club (3, 4) • **Marilyn Patricia Stevens** *How her eyes shine! How she can smile!* Nunica (1, 2); Grand Haven (3).

• **Wallace Robert Stoepker** *He never boasts, but he is a true friend.* Band (1); Monitor (1) • **Thomas Nicholson Straight** *Our Boy Athlete.* Football (2nd, 2); (1st, 3, 4); Basketball (1); Freshman Team (2); (2nd, 3, 4); First Team Captain (4); Track (1, 2, 3, 4); Senior Play Usher Committee Chairman (4); Helios Assistant Circulation Manager (3); Session Room Representative (1, 2); Courtesy Squad (1) • **Alexander Hompe Stuart** *Black is not so black—nor white so very white.* Football (2nd, 1), (1st, 2, 3); Basketball (2nd, 2), (1st, 3); Track (2, 3); Courtesy Squad (2, 3); Student Council (3); President (4); Stage Crew (1, 2); Manager (3, 4); Helios Sports Editor (4); President Junior Class (3); After School Activities (1, 2, 3); Sock and Buskin Club (1, 2, 3, 4); Phy-Chem (3, 4); C Club (3, 4); Deltathenian (1); Inter High Representative (3) • **Leone Mae Suggitt** *Let not your heart be troubled.* Monitor (1, 2, 3, 4); Current Events (4); Junior-Senior Prom Committee (3); Announcement Committee (4); Domecon Club (2); Vodvil (1); Helios Typist (4).





• **Ardyce Swanson** *Soft hair on which Light dropped a diadem.* Junior and Senior Glee Club (1, 2); Courtesy Squad (2, 3); Publicity Committee Senior Play (4); Ottawa Hills (3) • **William Paul Szczepanik** *We have missed seeing that crooked little smile.* • **Isabel Louie Thomas** *Ambition knows no rest.* G. A. A. (2); Girls' Meet (1); Monitor (3); Basketball (2); Hockey (1); Ping Pong Tournament (2) • **Gordon Albert Thorpe** *For he's a jolly good fellow.* Airplane Club (1, 2, 3, 4); Secretary-Treasurer (4); Camera Club (4); President; Student Council (4); Vodvil (4); Senior Play (4); Electrician (3, 4); Spring Concert (4).



• **Evelyn Ann Tolsma** *We are looking for more like you.* Courtesy Squad (1, 2, 3, 4) • **George Edward Tripp** *A gentleman — a merry one.* R. O. T. C. (1, 2, 3); Conservation Club (1, 2, 3); Vodvil (3); Operetta (3); Camera Club (4) • **Edwin Fuller Uhl** *You can't help liking Teddy, can you?* Student Council (1); Monitor (2); Senior Class Ring Committee (3); Senior Class Announcement Committee (4); Vodvil (3); Senior Play Publicity (4); Math Club (3, 4); Classical Club (3, 4); Treasurer (4); Helios Ad Staff (3, 4); Senior Usher (4); Monitor Manager (1); National Honor Society (4) • **Samuel Robert Upton** *Like father, like son.* Hi-Y Club (3, 4); Student Council (4); Courtesy Squad (2, 3, 4); Second Team Basketball (2); First Team Basketball (3, 4); "C" Club (3, 4), President (4); Vodvil (3); Head Auditorium Usher (4); Senior Play Usher Committee (4); Junior-Senior Prom Chairman (3); National Scholastic and Athletic Honor Society (3, 4); Flower and Decoration Committee (4); Choir Nativity (3, 4); A Cappella Choir (3, 4); Senior Boys' Glee Club (1, 2); Mock Election Committee (4).



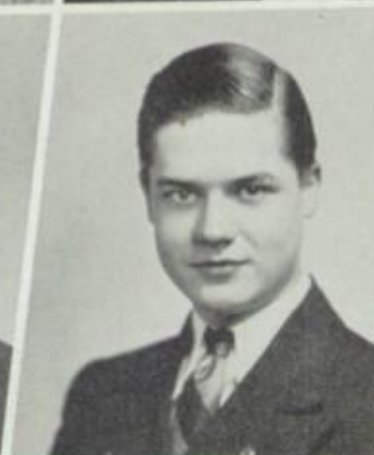
• **Anna Mae Van Aartsen** *If all her good deeds were pennies, she'd be a millionaire.* National Honor Society (3, 4); Secretary (4); Vice-President of Senior Class; Student Council (3, 4); Secretary-Treasurer (4); Math Club (2, 3, 4); Secretary (3), Vice-President (4); French Club (3, 4); Award for two year course (3); G. A. A. (3, 4); Hockey (3, 4); Basketball (4); Volley Ball (1, 2, 3, 4); Baseball (2, 3, 4); Girls' Meet (1, 2); Courtesy Squad (2); Junior Girl Reserves (1); Senior Girl Reserves (2, 3, 4); Junior Girls' Glee Club (1); Vodvil (4) • **Betty Jane Van Aartsen** *Common sense is not so common.* Tennis Tournament (4); Junior and Senior Girl Reserves (1, 2, 3, 4); Girls' Meet (1, 2); Junior Girls' Glee Club (1); Monitor (1, 2, 3, 4); Ping Pong Tournament (1, 2, 3, 4); Badminton Tournament (4); Memorial Committee (4); Spring Concert (3) • **John Van Dam, Jr.** *Joe Louis' understudy.* Glee Club (1, 2); "C" Club (4); Track (4); Football (4); Baseball (4) • **Leonard James Vander Honing** *A senior you can depend upon.*

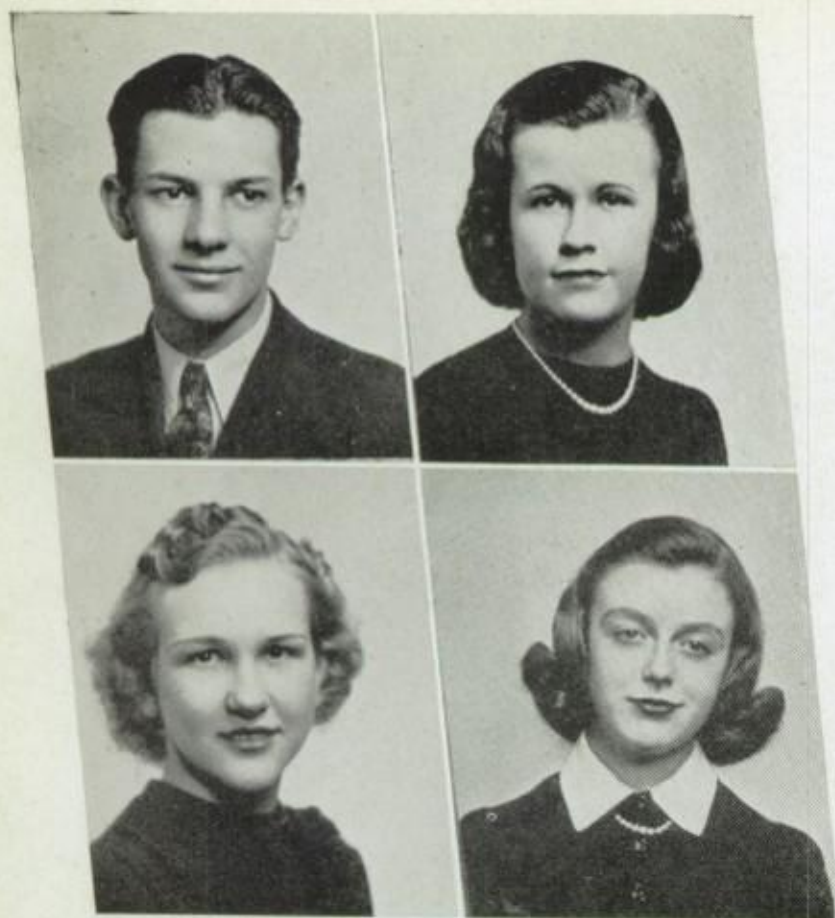


• **Herbert John Van Dort** *"Poets lose half the praise they should have got, Could it be known what they discreetly blot."* Poster Committee Chairman (4); Photograph Committee (4); Numeral Day Committee (4); Class Poem (4); Senior Usher (4); Helios Literary Staff (4); Math Club (3, 4); National Honor Society, Treasurer (4); French Club, Treasurer (4); Art Club (3, 4); Treasurer (4); Conservation Club (3, 4); Phy-Chem Club (4); Pen and Pencil, Secretary (3); President (4); Current Events Club (3, 4); Operetta Scenery (3); Vodvil, Art Director; Boys' Glee Club (1) • **Jane Elizabeth Van Gemert** *We don't like her well; we like her weller.* Current Events; Senior Girl Reserves; Monitor (1, 2, 3); Vodvil (4) • **Don Edward Van Lier** *"His worth is warrant for his welcome."* Football (2nd, 1, 3); "C" Club (4); Football (4) • **Arlene Marcella Van Nostran** *She grew popular — not with time, but with the boys.* Junior Girls' Glee Club (1); Senior Girls' Glee Club (2, 3); A Cappella (4); Senior Girl Reserves (3, 4); President (4); Monitor (3, 4); Track Meet (1, 2); Baseball (4); Ping Pong (3); Helios Literary Staff (4); Student Council (4); Spring Concert (3).

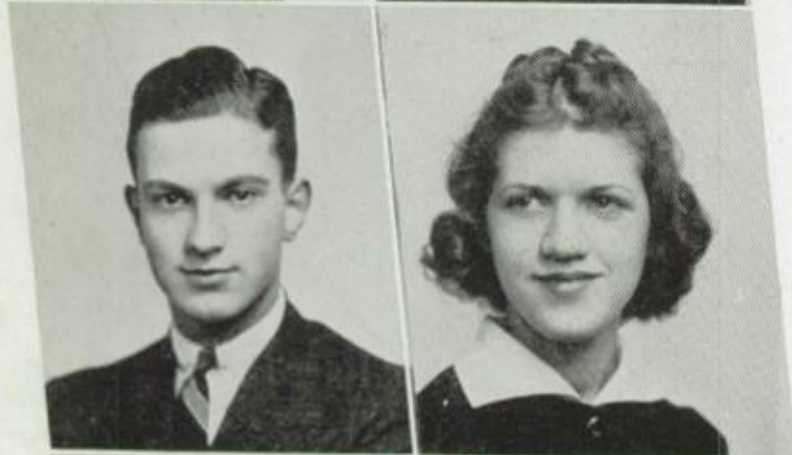
• **Ione Ann Van Popering** *Quiet, reliable and full of fun.* Senior Orchestra (1); Monitor (1, 4); Phy-Chem Club (4); Track Meet (1, 2) • **Bernice VanSetters** *Only a great poet could properly sing her praises.* Conservation Club (1, 2, 3, 4), Secretary (3); Vice-President (4); Girls' Glee Club (1); Senior Girls' Glee Club (2, 3); Secretary (2); President (3); A Cappella Choir (4); Girl Reserves (3, 4); G. A. A. (2, 3, 4); Domecon (2, 3, 4); After School Activities (2, 3, 4); Agona (3, 4); Vice-President (3); Scribe (4); Operetta (3); Spring Concert (2, 3, 4); Memorial Committee (4) • **Quentin Roosevelt Verdier** *"Build thee more stately mansions, O my soul."* Model Airplane Club (1); Helios Literary Staff (1, 2, 3, 4); Literary Editor (4); Penny Carnival (1); Nativity (1); Intramurals (1, 2); Boys' Glee Club (1, 2); Track (2); Vodvil (2, 3); Operetta (3); A Cappella Choir (3, 4); Librarian (3); School Store (3, 4); Current Events Club (3, 4); Phy-Chem Club (3, 4); Math Club (3, 4); President (4); National Honor Society (3, 4); President (4); Pen and Pencil Club (3, 4); Vice-President (3); President (4); Le Cercle Francais (4); Student Council (4); Usher (4); Executive Staff Senior Play (4); Senior Class President. • **Herman Ward Verseput** *Worth makes the man.* Boys' Glee Club (1, 2); A Cappella Choir (3, 4); Penny Carnival (1); Vodvil (3); Operetta (3); Classical Club (3, 4); Treasurer (4); Math Club (3, 4); Treasurer (4); Phy-Chem Club (3, 4); Vice-President (3, 4); Hi-Y (4); National Honor Society (3, 4); Registrar (4); Senior Play Ticket Committee (4); Helios Ad Staff (2); Editor-in-Chief (4); Nativity (1); Usher (4).

• **Lois June Vos** *Lovely to look at — delightful to know.* Junior Glee Club (1, 2, 3, 4); Spring Concert (4); R. O. T. C. (3, 4); Bars and Chevrons Club; Ticket Committee Senior Play; Current Events Club; Helios Ad Staff • **Jane Marian Wagner** *"Just give me Artie Shaw."* Red Cross (1, 2); Monitor (1, 2, 3); Vodvil (2); Tennis (3, 4); Penny Carnival (2); Helios Event and Comment (2); Senior Play; Girls' Meet (2); Epithet Committee (4) • **John Delos Wagner** *He's a sticker—when it comes to a job.* Hi-Y (3, 4); Tennis (1, 2, 3, 4); Football (2); Second Team Basketball (1); First Team Basketball (2, 3, 4); Senior Band (1, 2, 3); Student Council (1, 3); "C" Club (3, 4); Pin and Ring Committee (3); Property Committee Senior Play; Auditorium Usher (4); Intramurals (1); Session Room Track (2, 3); "Get Acquainted Week Committee" (4); Courtesy Squad (1, 3); Chairman of P.T.A. Senior Night Committee • **Katherine Jane Waite** *"True to a vision, steadfast to a dream."* National Honor Society (4); French Club (2, 3, 4); Current Events (3); Domecon (2, 3, 4); Phy-Chem (4); G. A. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Baseball (1, 2, 3, 4); Hockey (1, 2, 3, 4); Basketball (1, 2, 3, 4); Volley Ball (1, 2, 3, 4); Ping Pong Tournament (3, 4); Badminton Tournament (4); Courtesy Squad (1, 2, 4); Agona Club (3, 4); Secretary (4); Senior Class Entertainment Committee (4); Decoration Committee (Junior-Senior Prom 3); Vodvil Costume Committee (4); Girls' Meet (1, 2, 3); Sophomore Manager Penny Carnival (2).

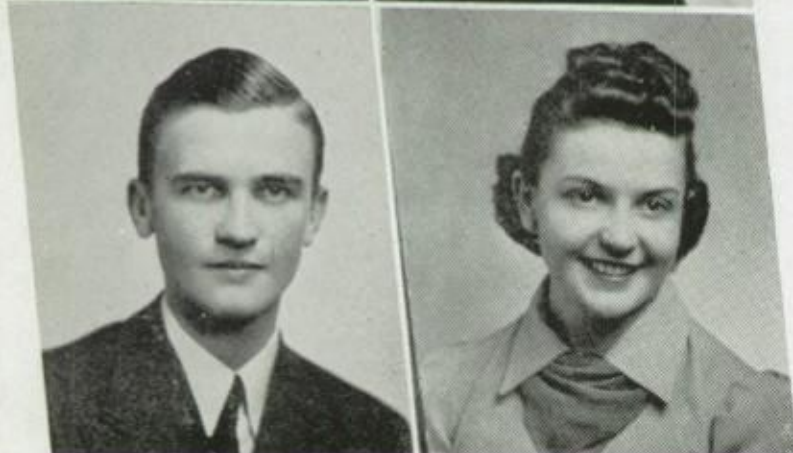




• **George Ward** *"Strong reasons make strong actions."* Current Events Club (3, 4); Pen and Pencil Club (3, 4); Camera Club (4); Phy-Chem Club (4); Photo Committee; Ticket Committee; Chairman of Publicity Staff for Annual • **Edneta Franc Welsh** *We lost out by not having her four years.* Marywood Academy (1); South High (2); Domecon (3, 4); Treasurer (4); Phy-Chem (4); G. A. A. (4); Courtesy Squad (4); Epithet Committee (4) • **Catherine Dorothy Wesorick** *A good addition to any group.* • **Gretchen Joan Whims** *Wit and beauty — a rare combination.* Courtesy Squad (1); After School Activities (1); Helios (2, 3, 4); Assistant Literary Editor (3); Editor of Event and Comment (3, 4); Courtesy Squad Manager (3, 4); Property Manager Vodvil (3); Manager (4); Sock and Buskin (3, 4); Secretary (4); Math Club (3, 4); Operetta (3); Manager Exchange Assemblies (4); Student Council Representative (4); Pen and Pencil Club (4); French Club, Vice-President (4); Current Events Club (4); Phy-Chem Club (4); Senior Class Prophet.



• **Hudson White, Jr.** *"For he is a man, take him all in all."* Monitor (1, 2); Glee Club (2); Tennis (2); Golf (3); French Club (4) • **Charlotte Ann Whiteman** *"Beauty is its own excuse for being."* Courtesy Squad (3, 4); Costumes for Vodvil (4); G. A. A. (4); Pen and Pencil Club (3, 4); French Club (4); Programs for Senior Play (4); National Honor Society (4); Senior Class Color Committee (4); Girls' Meet (2) • **Franklin Pierce Whitman** *Every class needs some one like Franklin.* Helios Ad Staff (4); Senior Play Program Committee (4) • **Mildred Iona Wickerham** *"The silence that is in a starry sky."* Home Economics Club (1); Glee Club; Treasurer; Domecon Club (4).



• **Antoinette Marie Wiergaz** *"Tony" is a good athlete — a good friend.* National Honor Society (4); Pen and Pencil (3, 4); Current Events (3, 4); Domecon (2, 3, 4); Classical (3, 4); Helios Typist (4); G. A. A. (3, 4); Girls' Meet (3); Hockey (3, 4); Baseball (3, 4); Basketball (3); Volleyball (4); Phy-Chem (4); Girl Reserves (4); Senior Play Committee (4); Ping Pong Tournament (4); Helios Ad Staff (4); Courtesy Squad (3); Agona (4) • **Margaret Jane Wilbur** *A regular girl — cheerful, hardworking and loyal.* Agona (3, 4); G. A. A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Student Council (1, 4); Secretary, Junior Girl Reserves (1); Senior Girl Reserves (2, 4); Treasurer (4); Domecon Club (3, 4), President (4); Current Events (3); Conservation (3); Phy-Chem (3, 4); Secretary (4); Pen and Pencil (3, 4); Camera Club (4); Math Club (3, 4); Biology Club (4); Monitor (1, 2); National Honor Society (3, 4); Senior Class Program Committee; Senior Class Mock Election Committee; Helios Stenographer (3, 4); Literary Staff (4); Senior Girls' Glee Club (2, 3); A Cappella Choir (4) • **Eugene Hobart Wilcox** *Another Glen Cunningham in the making.* • **Lois Suzanne Woolsey** *Sweet Sue.* Courtesy Squad (4); Phy-Chem (3, 4); G. A. A. (3, 4); Current Events (4); Costume Committee Vodvil (4); Program Committee Senior Play (4).



• **Louis Cornelius Wolf** *Least said soonest mended.* Band (1, 2, 3, 4); Orchestra (1, 2); R. O. T. C. (1, 2, 3, 4) • **James Reid Wyck-off** *Just let me tell you.* R. O. T. C. (1, 2); Courtesy Squad (3); Football (2nd, 2), (1st, 4); Track (2, 4); Baseball (3); Phy-Chem Club; Current Events; Pen and Pencil • **George Nickolas Ziton** *Worry and I have never met.* Courtesy Squad (1, 2, 3,); Vodvil (1, 3); Junior-Senior Prom Committee (3); Helios Ad Staff (4); Circulation Staff (4); Photograph Committee • **Caroline Zwicker** *Short but sweet.* Math Club (3, 4), Vice-President (4); Phy-Chem Club (3, 4); Domecon Club (2, 3, 4); Red Cross (4); Courtesy Squad (4); Vodvil Costume Committee (4); Senior Play Costume Committee (4); Entertainment Committee (4); Senior Prom Committee (4).



• **Donald Edward Bixby** *"Ah me! when shall I marry me?"*

• **Thomas Harold Clare** *He came to us too late.* Roosevelt High School, Des Moines (1, 2); Football (3); "C" Club (3, 4); Session Room Track (3, 4); Usher.

• **Taylor Bertsch Closterhouse** *Did anyone ever see "Tay" angry?*

• **Robert L. Kilpatrick** *He stole a march on us.*

• **Josephine Claire Kirby** *"Let others hail the rising sun; I bow to those whose course is run."* Current Events Club.

• **Eda Thoreson** *A smile is a wonderful thing.*

• **Mary Eleanor Walker** *With her paints and brushes she'll go far.*



Class Motto

Today's knowledge is tomorrow's servant.

Class Poem

In Transit

The panting engines seethe, nor stop when they arrive
 But hasten to another terminal.
 The trundling flat-cars follow placidly
 And at the end, the rattling way-car rides, lurching drunkenly, content to follow.
 Shining engines glide along far-narrowed tracks.
 A firm, sure touch, a smooth caress —
 And, heeding the command, they mount the hill proudly.
 Smug coaches roll on quiet well-oiled wheels, content to follow,
 Though mishaps sometimes block the way.
 All seek to reach the station,
 At the close of every day.

MARGARET HOEBEKE.

Immortal Beauty

Sometimes, I sense a certain beauty —
 Too deep to be unearthed,
 Too high to be expressed,
 By anything so lowly as mere words or actions;
 It goes higher than the joyous lark that whirls heavenward in its flight to the sun;
 It lies far deeper than any human probe can ever really reach.
 This beauty brings a joy into my heart,
 So radiant, so dazzling,
 That my eyes are blinded by tears —
 Blinded, lest this feeling become so overpowering
 That earth grow too heavy for further life;
 Softened by tears that help to take away the pain
 Of beauty so intense,
 A beauty so strong that petty troubles and earthly cares
 Become as nothing —
 A beauty that cannot be perceived in its full glory
 By you or me —
 A beauty come of God, not made for mortals,
 Though diffused rays of light may penetrate the fog
 Surrounding us;
 A beauty of before and after, but not of now.
 Sometimes I sense a certain beauty,
 A beauty come of God, but not for man.

HARRIET ROOD.

Class Colors

Green and Gold



Class Song

Words and Music by MARY JANE NELSON

Knowledge is the iron, never let it rust.
Youth itself is bound by hills, climb we must.
As God's masterpiece is man we would carry on his plan
Today's labor ends, tomorrow's now begins.

CHORUS:

"Today's knowledge is tomorrow's servant."
Today intent upon today observant
Tomorrow to the field — Tomorrow glean the grain
And make life more abundant, through sunshine and through rain.

Courage stirs today and beckons us to grow
Seeds of good and seeds of truth we can sow.
And with sense of humor strong, greet life with a merry song
For 'tis through these blessings that we richly live.

Youth Steps Forth

We stop, bewildered, pause to look
Upon a world of strife.
We gaze with eagerness — and fear,
We are so new to life!
We hesitate, we wonder — as
We try to find our way.
We fear those things we cannot see,
And yet we cannot stay,
We step into a world of hate
That fear has rooted deep.
Can we dig out these tangled roots?
What shall we find to keep?
Can we discover what it is
That tears a world apart?
And can we feel our way into
The other fellow's heart?
Knowing that Democracy
Can win out in the end.
If men remember — Nations too —
What it means to be a friend.

BETTELOU BAILEY.



Mock Election

Best All-round Boy.....	Tom Straight
Best All-round Girl.....	Phyllis Craig
Class Mascot	Robbie
Class Pest.....	Hugh Blacklock
Class Dope.....	Sam Upton
Class Wit.....	Nate Bryant
Class Tarzan.....	Ed Ripmaster
Class Farmer.....	Bob Sikors
Class Baby.....	Doris Parkhurst
Class Communist.....	Georg Ward
Class Politician.....	Jack Day
Class Romance.....	Betty McCormick and Bill McConnell
Most Popular Boys.....	Sandy Stuart and John DeGroot
Most Popular Girl.....	Mabel Luton
Best Looking Boy.....	Dick Kimball
Best Looking Girl.....	Rose Beuker
Most Bashful Boy.....	John Wagner
Cutest Girl.....	Nancy Palmer
Best Dressed Boy.....	Bill Mahoney
Best Dressed Girl.....	Mary Ellen Applegate
Boy Athlete.....	Charles Gogo
Girl Athlete.....	Peggy Wilbur
Woman Hater.....	Edward Laufer
Man Hater.....	Maxine Petoskey
Done the Most for Central.....	Quentin Verdier
Done Central for the Most.....	Jane Wagner

Class Flowers

Yellow Roses



A Page of Recognition

The Class of '39 wishes to recognize the winners of the following honors:

The Gordon Scott Cup

The Tri-Honor Cup

American Legion Medals

The Class of 1926 Award

English Prizes:

1. George F. Clay Prize

2. Awards for Essay on a Patriotic Subject

Speech Department Awards:

1. Earl Munshaw Oratory Cup Award

2. Detroit News Award of Wall Plaque for Debate

3. Detroit News Award for Debate Pins

4. The Ethel K. Nistle Award

5. Speech Award for Excellence in Debate

6. Speech Award for Improvement in Speech

7. Stage Craft Award

Award of American Home Economics Pins

History Award

Mathematics Awards:

1. Math Club Award

2. Mr. Snell's Award

Classical Club Awards:

1. Anna S. Jones

2. Fourth Year

French Club Awards:

1. Two-Year Course

2. Three-Year Course

Agona Club Junior Cup

Helios Awards

Additional Awards



BOOKS AND CLASSES, parties and fun,
are all a part of the school life of these

Underclassmen







Seated: Miss Hayes, Peter Cole, Miss Inglesh • Standing: Isla Spring, Mr. Coryell, Floyd Barber, Marijane Bird.

Junior Class Officers

THE JUNIOR CLASS was organized in the second semester; soon after, a Mixer was held to encourage acquaintance among the members of the class. After various meetings the ring for the class of 1940 was decided upon. The Juniors together with the Seniors sponsored the annual Junior-Senior Prom. The following were chosen as officers for the year:

President	PETER COLE
Vice-President	ISLA SPRING
Secretary	MARIJANE BIRD
Treasurer	FLOYD BARBER
Sponsor	MISS MABEL INGLESCH

Jane Ackerman
Homer Adrianse
Nick Afendoulis
Lila Ahlen
Majlis Ahlen
Robert Allen
Doris Andrews
Dorothy Andrzejewski

Rose Mary Assaley
Virginia Balcer
Floyd Barber, Jr.
Dorothy Bashore
Don Bender
Gerald Beukema
Bob Birchhead
Kathleen Bergman

June Beuker
Rex Bignall
Marijane Bird
Robert Blair
Ruth Bodbyl
Roy Boldt
Pete Boogaard
Joseph Booker

Thelma Booker
Harry Booth
Lois Boshoven
Wendell Boshoven
Colleen Bourne
Phillip E. Bramble
Ernest Braun
Evelyn Brewer

John Bronkhorft
Walter Brooks
Madelyn Burnham
Betty Bush
Kay Cain
Bill Calkins
Don Carlson
Ferris Cassis

Priscilla Chapman
Dick Clark
Charles Claver
Norval Clifford
Eleanor Comrie
Gage Criner
Fred Cross
Marybelle Curtis

Paul Dame
Bob Dangel
Ferne Davis
Jack Dean
Lorraine Decker
Shirley DeNeut
Betty DeVowe
Irwin DeVries

Emely DeWitt
Marvin DeWitt
Harold DeYoung
Marjorie DeYoung
Alex Dillingham
George Drake
Lorayne Drury
Shirley Jean Dygert

Norma Dykstra
Dick Evans
Ray Evans
Eleanor Eyd
Corinne Faasse
Catherine Ferguson
Dorothy Fenverda
Margaret Fisher

Betty Fleck
Sylvester Fleegeer
Bernita Fonger
Albert Fosner
Virginia Frawley
Cecilia Friedrick
James Frielink
Marjorie Garnes

Richard Geer
Doris Geske
Alten Gilleo
Anita Gilleo
Jean Victoria Gillespie

Doris Gittlen
James Goldammer
Blenn Graham
Evan Graham
Betty Ellen Grotenhuis
Class wit
Concentration

Neal Hall
Ray Hamment
Shirley Harris
Ethelyn Harrison
David Hatch

Grace Hatch
Ed Hawkins
Patricia Anne Hefferan
Cornelia Heyboer
Irene Higgins
History class





Barbara Hirsch
Gerry Holland
Dick Hondorp
Frederick Hopkins

Joan Horton
Marian Huber
Norma Huff
Phyllis Huntley



David Idema
Mary Idema
Katherine Irwin
Barclay Ivenik

Homer Ives
Ruth Jeltima
Doris Jones
Paul W. Jones



Russell Jones
Edward Julian
Bonny Kalawert
Clayton Kelley

Betty Kellogg
Emma Kendrick
George Kimball
Evelyn Kline



Roger Kloate
George Kabryn
Claver Kooyers
Ethel Koster

Harold Langerlis
William Leenheer
Barbara Lewis
Dan Lewis



Hugh D. Lillee
Barbara Loveland
David Lypner
Betty Leetch

Mary MacLangs
Loretta Maczka
Eugene Majchrzak
Tom Majchrzak



Mary Maloley
Carl Mapes
Abe Marcusse
Arthur Markendorf



Dick Markoff
Rosella Mankel
Roy May
Barbara McCall

Hmm!



Milton McGorrell
Helena McFall
David McMahon
Edward McNamara



June Meleski
Lorraine Mell
Irene Merdzinski
Helen Merryman

Kathryn Mersman
Eleanor Meyers
Thelma Mitchem
Clayton Moerdyke



Bernard Montgomery
Gladys Morrissey
Cynthia Murray
Glen Nelson

Howard Nelson
Richard Nelson
Dorothy Newcomer
Budd Nickols



Joe Nicola
Bill O'Connor
Louise Olson
Kay Osseward

Florence Overbye
Robert Palmer
Carlyle Peterson
Howard Phillips



John Pilon, Jr.
Helena Pitsch
Margaret Porter
Ruth Postema

M. M. Pridgeon
Kenneth Proyen
Julia Quist
H. Rahn



Robert Reber
Christine Reece
Ellen Reed
Lawrence Reynhout

Ada Richards
Doris Richards
Helen Ann Richardson
Kenneth Robinson



Ruth Rodeback
Frank Rodgers
George Roedding
Joe Rosenberger

George Roth
Victor Runyan
Kay Schaap
Myrtle Schuitema

Jo Ann Seastrom
Alberta Sexton
Betty Simpson
Gladys Sims

Barbara Slanger
Paul Smith
Earl Sonke
Isla Spring

Connie Stanton
Toula Stamos
Virginia Stamos
Ulysses Stoeffler

Wayne Stone
Margaret Storey
Willard Stormzand
Richard O. Straight

Jean Taylor
Pauline Thompson
Jack Thwaites
Geraldine Tolsma

Bill Upton
Ross Van Arman
Leonard Vander Mate
Lloyd Vander Werf

Don Van Horn
Betty Jane Van Heest
Betty Van Koevering
Franklin Van Oeveren

Gordon Van Oostenburg
Marinus Mieras
Edwin Van Rutten
Raymond A. Van Stee

Jean Vant Hof
Bill Van Zytveld
Bob Veenstra
Kay Visser

David S. Vos
Arva Voss
David Waer
Mildred Walker

Philip Warren
Barbara Watson
Gus Wawee
Gerrit Weltevred

Harold P. Wheeler, Jr.
Peggy Wierenga
Harold Wilkowski
Bette Williams

Florence Williams
Elizabeth Wilson
Gwendolyn Wilson
Dorothy Jane Wise

Dick, Jon and Ike

Now, Mac!

Mary Ann Wise
Harold Witham
Jon Witters
Woodrow Woodhouse

Dick Worden
Gladys Yost
Lois Zillmer
Hazel Ziton

Palmer-ette

Camera!

TENTH GRADE

Kezma Abovsamia
Charles Adair
Herbert Adams
Clara Adastik

Ruth Afendoulis
Clarence Aikerman
Adriana Akkerhuis
William Antonopoulos

Jack Aussicker
Violet Balcer
Cornelia Balle
Alfred Baloyan

Berdice Barnaly
Patricia Baylis
William Beel
Margaret Behnke

Margie Bender
Paul Bennink
Allan Benson
Helen Benson

Phyllis Beverly
Ruth Bierlein
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Dorothy Bixby

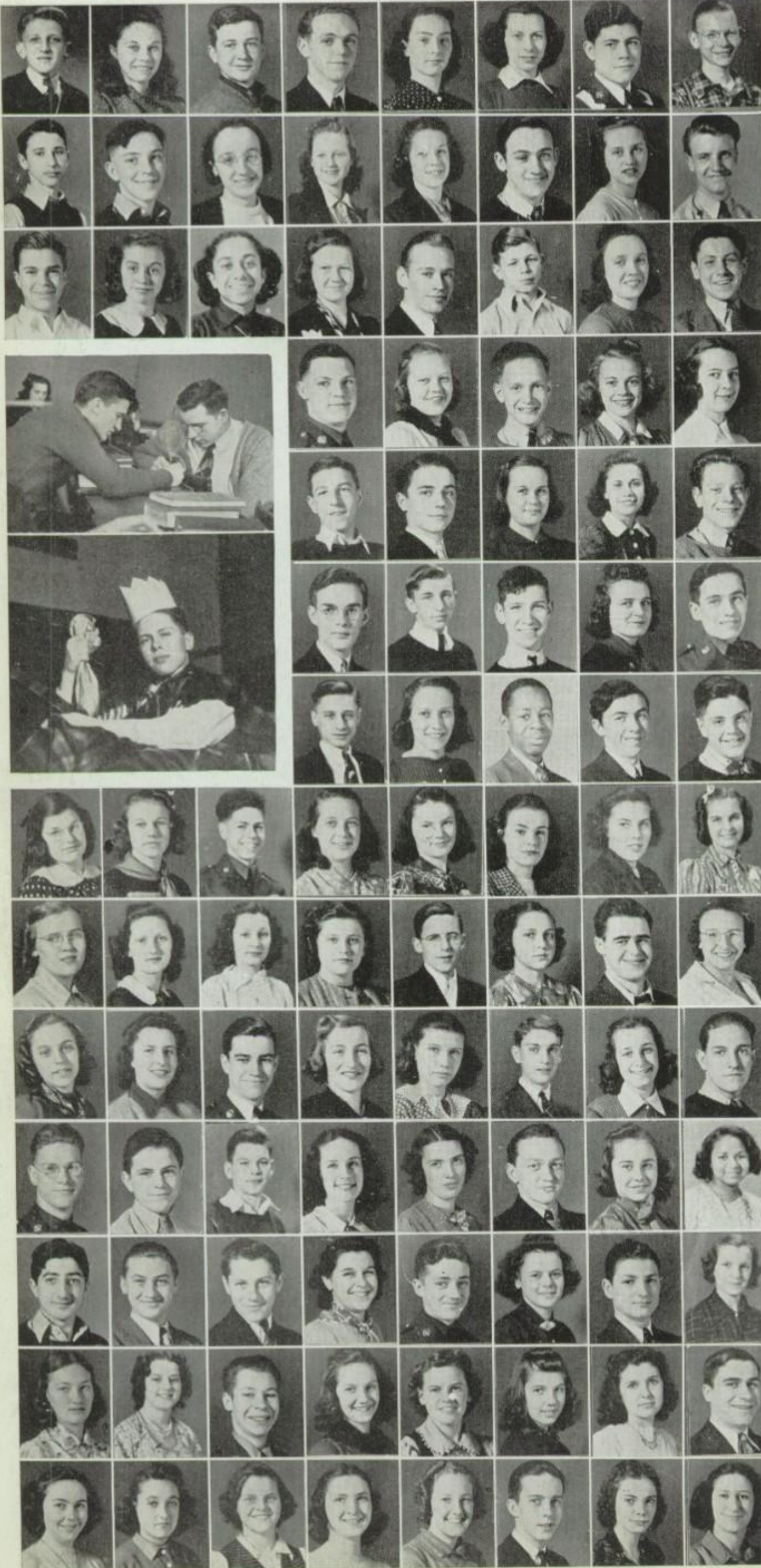
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Donald Braley

Harold Brewer
Reida Brown
Anna Buffinga
Donald Bullock





Calvin Burggraaff
Bonnie Jean Burch
Ralph Busse
La Verne Butler

Jean Campbell
Constance Card
Robert Jennings
Maurice Carpenter

James Carrigan
Kenneth Clapp
Zula Clark
Wanda Cochrane

Susanna Cole
Robert Combs
Dorothea J. Cook
Jack Crawford

Robert Currier
Dorthe Curtis
Joan Curtis
Patty Dalsen

Harvey Dams
Bob Day
Mae Lee Dow
Lee Dramis

Lawrence Durkee
Florence Eckberg
Howard Efting
Sylvia Emaies
Alicent Epps

You tell 'em, Whitman

Peter Evertse
David Ewing
Dorothy Eybinck
Dorothy Lou Faasse
Ralph Fosner

Sid French
John Friedrich
Roger Froman
Lorraine Galas
Richard Gazella

Dangl holds the bag

Robert Gazella
Marjorie Geldhof
Pleasant Giles
Floyd Gill
Richard Gillett

Leona Gilpin
Helen Glanack
Arno Glimn
Elizabeth Goodson

Doris Grawburg
Sallie Grinnell
Doris Haaksma
Ann Haglund

Marion Hagman
Joyce Hale
Lucy Hale
La Vonne Hall

Albert Hammersmith
Mary Arlene Harris
Bruce Hart
Marilyn Haven

Margaret Helder
Mary Lou Hemmes
Joe Henry
Elizabeth Hills

Nyla Hogrmeisles
Bill Hoag
Margaret Hugmeyer
James Hooper

Carlyle Ide
Bernard Ignasiak
Earl Ives
Helen Jasinske

Maxine Junks
Eugene Johnson
Phyllis Johnson
Milgare Lee Jones

Charlie Joseph
M. Vander Kuay, Jr.
Louis Kaboos
Marian Kameraad

Eugene Kammert
Betty Kamps
Gerald Karel
Dorothy Keech

Elizabeth Keeler
Helen Joyce Kennedy
Russell Kettner
Mary Jean Klinesteke

Eleanor Klunder
Dorothy Koster
Evelyn Kozak
Ray Krenselewski

Florence Kridler
Adele Kruss
Rose Kubiak
Dorothy Kurtzworth

Eleanor Kunst
Robert Kutsche
Ruth Lang
Esther Laasman

Betty Ann Latta
Elaine Lewis
Mary Jane Lindsay
Marian Lippman

Norma Loveland
Ferne Lovell
Don Lowell
Harry Luxford

Donald Maatman
Betty MacFadden
Kenneth Madden
Lois Malewitz

Robert Marine
Gloria Marks
Arthur Marler
Barbara McKenna

Barbara McKersie
Earl Medendays
Arlene Mell
Betty Merkle

Ruth Meyers
Nella Middleton
Frank Melanowski
Robert Millar

Elinor Miller
Jeanne Morrissey
Geraldine Murdock
Helen Nelson

Kenneth Nickols
Betty Lou Oliver
Dorothy Passmore
Norma Peters

Norma Peters
Donald Peterson
Kay Peterson
Gloria Phelps

Jack Philbrick
Fred Pierce
Jack Pruitt
Sophie Przewozink

Stella Przewoznik
Margaret Racine
Jack Ransom
Charles Reintges

Ellray Richardson
Doris Riegling
Delbert Root
Mary Rosema

Dorothy Ross
Mae Belle Rowe
Laurence Roxby
Richard Runstrom

Vidla Salek
Fred Sayfie
Manon Schaokraft
Sola Scott

Eleanor Sessink
Ellen Jean Sissions
Thelma Seward
Sydney Shank

David Sherwood
Jack Sikors
Jack Simon
Doris Skinner

Marilyn Sklar
Marcilene Smee
Florence Smith
Sherda Smith

Lorraine Srobada
Barbara Streffler
David Start
Marilyn Sterns

Martha Stiles
Lenore Stormzand
Tom Stowitts
Carl Strom

Kenneth Sutter
Robert Ten Hoor
Mary Thaitis
Florence Thwaites

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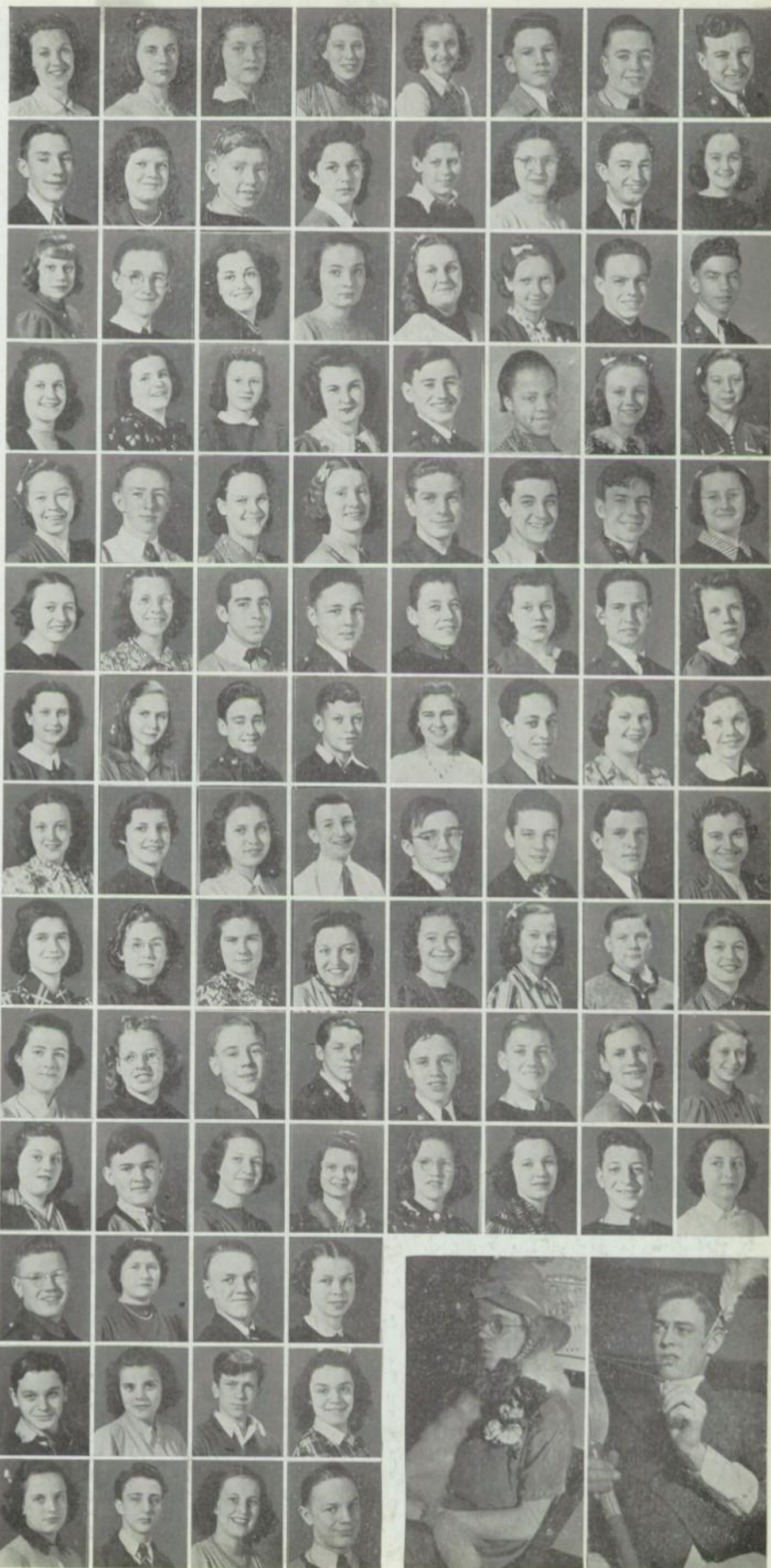
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Marian Viergevid
Martin Vank
Jean Walker

Kenneth Ward
Rose Wawee
Bob Weemhoff
Esther Weiner

Wayne Stone, actress

Florence Welch
Tom Wendover
Joan Westra
Leon Wiersma

Mahoney waiting
to go on



NINTH GRADE



Betty Williams
Theresa Wolosz
Phillip Wolz
Marjorie Yenor



Roger Yokom
Julia Zainea
Esther Zwier
Zuincy Adams

In 314



Ellen Adolphson
Helen Adolphson
Jean Adrianse
Alexandria Afendoulis



Robert Aldering
Shirley Allen
Hazel Amberg
Carl Andree

Virginia Ashley
Bert Baker
Gregory Baloyan
Bill Banks



Robert Auderson
Donna Barringer
George Beckler
Victor Bell

Milton Behrens
Henry Bergmans
Dorothy Berkhardt
Beatrice Beyer



Shirley Birdsall
Harold Blackmer
Rosemary Blanchard
David Block

Janet Blood
Don Bogerd
Virginia Boldt
Ruth Bolhouse



Richard Booth
Betty Bradford
Joyce Bridges
Clarence Brott

Charles Brower
Claude Brown
Thea Burkhardt
Walter Burkiewicz



Melvin Butler
William Campbell
Don Chase
Bill Clapp

Alicemary Clark
Kathleen Cleveland
Doris Clifford
Dorothy Cleveland



Helen Collar
Claire Collins
Robert Cooper
Helen Correll

James Cousino
Bill Coverston
Bill Cramer
Paul Crews



La Vonne Cross
Sally Crume
Patricia Curtis
Wilbur Davis

James De Boer
Charles De Bree
Doris De Graff
Betty De Haan



Betty Ann De Maagd
Joyce De Kam
Shirley De Kraker
Dan De Dooff

Gloria Demmon
Violetta De Witt
Tom Dillingham
Howard Doughty



Dorothy Drake
Victor Dykhuizen
Lawrence Efting
Raymond Egan

Thomas Emans
Esther Evans
Barbara Ewing
Doris Ferch



Agnes Ferwerda
Caroline Ferwerda
Raymond Firlik
Lenhard Forsberg

Milvin Fox
Frederick Frieswyk
Arthur Ferguson
Sara Geene



Robert Greenfield
Jean Georgacakes
Bob Gessler
Lillian Glavack

Marilyn Goodman
Ernestine Gray
Howard Hakkin
Elsie Hartger

Jane Haven
Bob Hawkins
Joan Hawkins
Dolores Hedlund

Carol Henley
Robert Henriksen
Robert Herman
Randall Hoetstein

Muriel Hibbert
Earl Hickman
Lawrence Higgs
Mary Jo Hills

Quintin Holmberg
Patricia Hoogenstyn
William Hoover
Raymond House

Edwin Houverzye
Maxine Howinga
Jim Hubbard
Ruth Hula

Mary Lucile Hurd
Jean Idema
Phyllis Jarmuloski
Joan Jenne

Mary Jane Johnson
Gerry Johnson
Jack Johnson
Virginia Jones

Victoria Jachuk
Dolores Kacera
Patricia Keeler
Amanda Keith

Janie Kendrick
Duane Kline
Margaret Kirchmann
Norma Kuchmann

Gertrude Knutson
Jack Kolnes
Julius Koolman
Sally Kramer

Herbert Kruss
Louis Kunst
Charlotte Lobensky
Otis Lancaster

Keith Larson
William Lawton
Glen Ledbetter
Suzanne Leestma

Virginia Lenderink
Elwood Lirudberg
Don Lindeman
Richard Lindeman

Frank Lyman
James MacDonald
Allan MacFadden
Elaine MacNeil

Mary Mahoney
Jim Maloley
Donna Marine
Helen Martin
Shirley Mason

Alta and Jean

Betty McDonald
Gladys McGahan
James McMurray
Bob McNamara
Jacqueline Meachum

Jane Medendorp
Beverly Mentor
Louis Merdzuski
Eleanor Merrick
Donna Michmirhuizen

Little Markendorf

Hi ya, kids

Marinus Mieras
Kenneth Miller
Jean Mishill
Mary Mitchell
Jack Moline

Kathryn Nitzel
Bernie Norman
Ole Rising
Orlando Henry

Edwin Owen
Jack Palmerston
Verlene Parent
Bryce Parker

Cecille Pawens
Doris Peterson
Burdett Petoskey
Mary Phillips

Richard Phillips
Barbara Piersma
Theresa Pollok
Richard Porter

Betty Post
Jack Powell
Eleanor Price
Raymond Eggan





Barbara Read
Dorothy Reith
Florence Runyan
Gertrude Rietman

Betty Reynolds
Patricia Richardson
Peggy Richardson
Jay Richmond



Arthur Riley
Tom Paeper
Bill Root
Wayne Roth

Edwin Rosengren
Eleanor Rowland
Edward Sayfie
George Savara



June Schmieding
Edward Schutt

Abbie Seastrom
Robert Semeyn



Betty Shattuck
Evelyn Sides

Sylvia Simchak
Margery Simpson



Isabel Simpson
John Sloss

Carl Smetad
Watson Smith

Doubles



Lois Smith
Thelma Smith
Rosetta Smith
Dorothy Sarenson

Beverly Stauffer
Richard Stauffer
Esther Steenwyk
Marjorie Stephenson



Naurine Strahan
Gordon Stuart
Alto Sutton
Robert Swifney

Helen Tassell
Raymond Taylor
Carol Tedesco
Dean Telder



Theodore Theodore
Bob Thoits
Helen Thompson
Bill Trumbull

Doris Van Aartsen
Dorothy Van Aartsen
Richard Van Aartsen
Charlotte Verstay



Ken Vander Broek
June Vander Jayt
James Vander Moere
Jean Vanderveen

Marie Vanderveen
Arthur Vander Wolde
Barbara Vander Werf
Kenneth Van Ee



Eleanor Van Ryn
Annette Veenstra
Marjorie Verhake
Evelyn Verhey

Marie Verbrugge
Maudie Ver Hulst
Lorraine Vette
Lucille Uzarski



Jacky Walker
Suzanne Ward
Jean Warn
Emma Wawee

Helen Wawee
Ernest Weemloff
Gerald Weers
Louise Welmerink



John Wessels
Robert Westra
Claude Wheaton
Jim Whims

Josephine Whims
Peggy White
Carolyn Whitman
Margaret Whitney



Jim Whittemore
Frances Wilkoush
Charles Wilson
Eleanore Wilson

Theola Wolverton
Leland Wood
Shirley Anne Worden
Gregory Wurzburg



Imo Gene Wycoff
Marjorie Wykes
Edwin Wyma
Sally Yorkman

Lloyd Yost
Bob Yterris
Carolina Zaloaras
Victor Ziton

Ellen Askuik
Donald Acey
Philip Anderson
Bob Anderson

Mary Afendoulis
Gus Afendoulis
Don Allen
Norman Andrews

Barbara Averill
Helen Avink
Wilma Bakelaar
Jim Bale

Dick Bale
Ben Balkema
Richard Ball
John Barrie

Jean Barton
Bob Bates
Jerry Bates
Molly Bennett

Geraldine Behrens
Alita Biferno
Beth Birkheck
Donald Bloore

Betty Blue
Zola Pollock
Macky Boltwood
Elizabeth Booker

Donald Boot
Bob Booth
Patty Borst
Maurice Boss, Jr.

Eugene Bowers
L. K. Baynton
Erna Braun
Ivan Bronkhorst

Betty Brown
Jane Brouwer
Joyce Brawer
Roger Buck

Patty Bulman
Ellen Bush
Darrel Bunwell
Earl Burgering

Evelyn Bush
Betty Buther
Jane Butler
James Butler

Patricia Butterfield
Harriet Cair
Bob Camburn
James Carpenter

Irene Carter
Helen Cassleman
Charlene Syudyick
Norton Chrystal

Robert Clark
Ernestine Cleveland
Zola Pollok
Graham Conger
Rosemary Crawford

Gloria Crews
Ruth Cross
Barbara Curtis
Gerry Dalson
Marian Dame

Long John
Porky

Lillian Dams
Dick Dangle
Ivan Darling
Eleanor Davis
Edna Mae De Bree

Dora Dallridge
Agnes De Groot
Benn De Groot
Edward Don Bau
Marilyn Duemeland

Boom!

Geraldine Dolberg
Malcolm Dunkelberg
Garry Durkee
Jane De Wee

Kenneth Earle
Virginia Edwards
Eric Elleson
Walter Farr

Maurice Faasse
Mona Flierman
Pauline Finch
Curtis Fitch

Wendlyn Fletcher
Barbara Loriwood
Angeline Garulidis
Robert Greene

Mary Gilderseewe
Pearl Glidden
Jack Gorham
Cecil Gosski

Thressa Prices
Violet Gauld
Clara Grau
Betty Lewis





Frances Gray
Florence Greenberg
Gerald Greenfield
George Groenink

Betty Groenink
Leon Grooters
Edith Gustapan
Rozelle Hamilton

Eleanor Hammond
Althea Harpst
Susie Ella Harris
Richard Hart

Jay Hartger
Madalyn Hascher
Virginia Hasker
Harold Hay

Richard Haylund
Marian Hazzard
Virginia Hemmes
Charlene Hext

Margaret Hilt
John Hiser
Walter Hiser
John Hoaglen

Hubert Hoebeke
Virginia Hoebeke
Jack Hultman
Helen Houseman

Kenneth Houseman
Betty Howerzyl
Betty Howiverzyl
Earl Hoyt

Marvin Hugmeyer
Normajean Hummel
Eugene Hunt
Howard Huyser

Arnold Ingalls
Lucille Jackson
John Jasinski
Wilbur Jenkins

Nanette Jensen
Beatrice Johnson

Alantha Johnson
Lennart Johnson

Tom Johnson
Lutricise Jons

Harriet Judd
Betty Karrer

George Karreb
Kathleen Kelly

Neil Kiesler
Jean Kilpatrick

Class of '41

Robert Klmesteker
Barbara Kalenda
Alice Mae Koepel
Bob Krystiniak

Beth Lane
Carolyn Lang
Helge Larson
Harold Leppink

Raymond Lewis
William Lewis
Tom Linsay
Kathryn Lock

Mary Lockhart
Earl Lowe
Jean McCorriston
Wakefield McGorrill

Patricia McHoskey
Harry McMurray
Paul McNaughton
Bud Malewitz

Gerald Malewelz
Maxine Arthur
Keith Manglos
Suzanne Marks

Bill Marsh
Bernice Martin
Thomas Masera
Donna Meinke

Ruth Merkle
Arnold Meterstorf
Mary Meyers
Mildred Miller

Betty Mitchell
Jacqueline Mosher
Arnola Navin
Betty Nelson

Roger Niewold
Margaret Novies
Bill Northrup
Gerald Nowack

Nancy O'Betts
Mary Ogieu
Jeanne Olson
David Oltman

Russ Overbeek
Charles Page
Duane Patterson
Donald Pellowe

Betty Perkins
Denton Phelps
Clifford Phyllaiere
Benjamin Porter

Jeanne Porter
Barbara Prestey
James Reutges
Marijane Riegling

Alice Rienstra
Harold Risberg
Jim Riste
Earlene Robey

Craig Robinson
Michael Rode
Vivian Rodeback
Lois Rause

Eleanore Rypkema
Tom Sargent
Shirlee Sawtelle
Clara Schenck

Selma Schwartz
Robert Scott
Harriet Sessink
Ethelbell Shea

Barbara Shook
Madeline Siurchak
Lorna Simmons
Alice Smith

Charles Smith
Eileen Smith
Elsie Smith
Jeane Sorg

Maurice Sarg
Billy Souter
Bob Spruit
Ruth Spruit

Bernard Stadt
Jean Stanton
Robert Stearns
Barry Stuart

Anne Surman
Bill Sutter
Clayton Swanger
Katherine Swanger

Shirley Swift
Edwin Syczepanik
Eleanor Taylor
Richard Taylor

Jack Tazelar
Max Thiele
Bob Thompson
Edith Thompson

Don Thompson
Harriet Thomy
Jacob Toorenaas
Roland Trayer

Robert Tuttle
Phyllis Van Brocklin
Gerrit Van Cam
Bob Vander Maas

Amy Vander Meulen
Phillip Van Den Berger
Donnell Van Dueman
Gertrude Van Gerneret

Fack Van Hook
Lorraine Van Deveren
Margaret Van Setters
Ed Van Zee

Catherine Verschoor
Lois Verstay
Jack Visser
Vernon Vos

Bernadine Walbrink
Madelyn Wolf
Polly Walder
Ruth Worlosz

Bill Waltman
Lalena Weekley
Louise Weisheimer
Keith Wellington

Dorothy Whitley
Dick Williams

Winona Williams
Joe Williams

Mary Wilson
Wenona Woodhouse

Marie Woodhouse
Herman Wyma

Randall Young
Paul Kutsche

Virginia Zyestra
Sam Afendoulis

Tadpole

Whimsical
Evie

7TH GRADE

Hank Alena
Nick Alre
Jane Anderson
Gladys Anderson

Brooks Applegate
Katie Baldwin
Gloria Balkema
Beverly Ballantine





James Barclay
Evelyn Barger
Jack Bauman
Patricia Ann Beardslee

Ray Beuker
Harold Berciunas
Dona Beverley
Doris Black

James Bogerd
Raymond Boozer
Eileen Barr
Clarence Boss

Benjamin Bradford
Leona Boverhof
Betty Bowman
Don Boyd

Baron Uhl

Marilyn Braersma
Virginia Broomhall
Frederick Bundy
Jeanne Bullock

Front step assembly

Jacob Buffinga
Marjorie Burwell
Glen Cain
Ruth Campbell

"I mean to find out"
Study! study!

George Cares
Richard Carnell
Harley Carpenter
Don Carpenter

Mary Elizabeth Combs
Howard Chase
Le Roy Cherry
Georgianna Cline

Georgianna Cline
Teresa Connor
Coleen Creed
Marion Cross

Donn Cross
Tom Crossman
Mary Cooleski
Row Cowell

Joyce Damstra
Dick Damstra
Dorothy Darling
Bette Davenport

Richard Davis
Kenneth Davis
Marilyn Delnay
William Dertier

Bloyina De Looft
Jack Detzler
Earl De Vowe
Sally De Vries

Bob De Young
William Dow
Kathleen Duffy
Julian Dupy

Lila Lee Dygert
Edith Earle
Genevieve Ebels
Doris Efting

Florajane Elliott
Virginia Emerson
Melvin Enell
Doris Estes

Dorna Mac Everstse
Leah Faber
Jean Ferguson
Alice June Fletcher

Bruce Fitzgerald
Shirley Fitzpatrick
Doris Forney
Delores Fraam

Dorothy Franke
Gordon Franklin
Marilyn Frey
Daisy Froman

Charles Gardella
Vaughn Girgrick
Shirley Ginther
Lois Graham

Madelyn Gray
Betty Grinnell
Beverly Grooters
Frank Grotenhuis

Donald Hadlock
Oscar Hale
E. Frank Hall
Walter Halloway

Betty Hample
Lena Harms
William Hartman
Ernestine Haukins

Marian Hawkins
Richard Hedges
John Henry
Barbara Henry

Betty Hertstein
Angeline Hertel
Clifford Hill
Hermione Hillman

William Hinshow
Richard Lee Hoebeke
Sonny Holman
Donald Holmberg

Donna Holwerda
Lee Horey
Max Hornsby
Earl Huff

Richard Hurley
Jim Idema
Richard Jablouski
Adele Janicke

John Jefferson
Kenneth Johnson
Grace Johnson
Jane Jurchuk

Donna Kalawert
Jack Kaiska
Russell Kees
Albert Keith

Sarah Lee Kendrick
Barbara Keipt
Robert Kik
Mary Kimball

Keith King
Lois Mae Kloote
Jack Klunder
Teddy Kinst

Phillip Komins
Bob Krueger
Elaine Mae Komins
Albert Kubiak

Joanne Kraft
Helen Dykema
Mary Grace Kuyers
Hubert Lafferty

George Lane
Richard Lansing
Charles Lawton
Leatrice Ledbetter

Clifford Lee
Robert Le Vane
Nelson Lieffers
Ruth Lindeman

Ernest Luig
Jack Long
Elizabeth McClure
Dorothy MacLango

Martha McNaughton
Carlyn Mahoney
Richard Mahoney
Amelia Maki

Richard Mankel
Maxine Mankoski
Jack Marsh
Lawrence Massi

Patsy Mathison
Marvin May

Ruth Merryman
Albert Metcalf

Ernest Mika
Bill Mitches

Mary Mitchem
Verta Moens

Martin Moody
Dorothy Moorehead

Lois Jeanne Mull
Lois Niewold

Hmm, eats!
In the dark

Good joke

Norman Virginia
Muriel Noteware
James Olson
Leon Oosten

Elizabeth Osmun
Jack Van Overloop
Hubert Passmore
Betty Postema

June Pearce
Dixon Pearce
Toni Pinder
Ben Plous

Russell Posthumus
Betty Postma
Bernice Prius
Geraldine Raar

Eleanor Racine
Virginia Rathbun
Raymond Crowell
Elbertha Remelts

Mary Reterstorf
Harry Reynolds
Mary Richmond
Helen Robb

Margaret Robinson
Marjorie Robinson
Virgie Roby
Nancy Rodd

Clement Rosek
Dorothy Rosema
Alvin Rosengren
Marjorie Ross





Betty Rowland
Martha Ryan
Viola Gairileds
Matilda Sayfie

Billy Savera
Billy Sexton
Gerda Scheiman
Clarlouise Scofield

Thelma Scott
Lillian Scott
Patty Scully
Jack Schippers

Marian Sessink
Warren Sides
Norma Sidman
Louise Simon

Patsy Simons
Dorothy Simmons
Margaret Six
Jon Sinee

Wesly Snyder
Jack Sorenson
June Spaman
Richard Spencer

Richard Steffenson
Phyllis Stephenson
Dick Seffenson
Bob Stirling

Marjorie Stoner
Helen Stormzand
Jerry Starhan
Gloria Sweet

Donald Sweet
Jack Syrek
Mary Tette
Robert Thomas

Rose Mae Thompson
Sally Thompson
Helen Thormy
Betty Tickner

Jeanne Timmerman
Heber Tisch
William Tourne
Don Towers

Dorothy Tunstra
Tomm Urbanski
Raymond Utter
Billy Verbert

Don Verburg
Daniel Ver Hey
Irma Verstay
Jack Verstay

Betty June Vogel
Dick Volkers
Fred Vaas
Robert Van Aartsen

Phyllis Vandenberg
Andrew Vander Molen
Don Vander Wall
Charles Vanderwoud

Janice Vander Werf
Ruth Vander Wolde
Margery Van Dort
Ralph Van Ryn

Roger Vaughn
Barbara Wallace
Gordon Weller
Marian Walters

Clifford Ward
Dorothy Warn
Virginia Wesorick
Richard Westra

Myrtle Wheaton
Douglas Wicks
James Willbourn
Maejean Wilderom

Mary Wilmink
Donald Wilkowski
Mary Wilson
Jim Wilson

George Wilson
Shirley Wiser
Arthur Wiser
Ted Withey

Bernice Wook
Marie Woodhouse
Jack Wygle
Doris Wyma

Jimmy Zarnea
Joan Zeef
Dick Zjeerip

On the steps

Windy

Onlooker

Directors

Behind the lens





On the Floor: Brooks Applegate, Duane Kline, Bill McNabb, Paul Kutsche, Polly Bennett, Claire Collins, Carol Tedesco • **Standing:** Gregory Wurzburg, Harriet Judd, Jean Mishill, Bill Banks, Susan Murray, Polly Walker, Nanette Jensen, Helen Martin, Marjorie Van Dort • **Seated:** Sally Kramer, Mudgie Simpson, Catherine Verschoor, Jean Kilpatrick, Babbie Curtis, Peggy White, Hazel Amberg, Phyllis Craig, Jim Whittemore, Eleanor Merrick, Patty Curtis, Barbara Ewing, Josephine Whims, Sally Yonkman, Margaret Kirchmann, Gene Wyckoff.

The Junior Literary Staff

THE JUNIOR LITERARY STAFF is composed of boys and girls in the 7th, 8th, and 9th grades, who are interested in writing for the Helios. This year it has reached a high point in its ever increasing membership.

The Staff has accomplished many new things, such as acquiring a page of pictures, and student interviews in the monthly Helios. The meetings are held weekly to discuss and select material. At Christmas time the Literary Staff enjoyed themselves at a party, and plans are now made for another. Valuable experience in the groundwork of the Helios is obtained in this organization, and the future of the school publication rests upon the excellent work and interest of the members.

The Junior Literary Staff was very fortunate this year in having as fine and spirited a Senior Adviser as Phyllis Craig. The loyal cooperation of the faculty adviser, Miss Lich, is greatly appreciated.

BUSY AS a one-armed paperhanger are
some of our folks, with all these clubs
to join.

Activities





Helios Advisory Board

THE HELIOS BOARD is the controlling agency for the periodical magazine and the Annual. The Board this year was composed of five students and five faculty members.

The greatest change in the Helios was the publishing of only five issues, Hallowe'en, Thanksgiving, Christmas, March, and May. These issues were the same size as last year, but many new features were added, such as student interviews with pictures, science and music columns, etc. Many improvements were made in the Annual, while the best features of last year's book were retained. Monthly subscriptions sales dropped this year, but with a fine advertising and sales campaign the Annual made up for this.

Again in 1939 advertising in the Annual was prohibited as a source of income. However, by close figuring and hard work a suitable budget was worked out resulting in one of the highest quality annuals a Central senior class has ever been proud of having.

ACTIVITIES

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Helios Literary and Advertising Staffs

SINCE THE HELIOS is traditionally a literary magazine, this department has a very important duty with each issue. The various English teachers cooperate by handing in the material written by the students; the staff members, members of the Pen and Pencil Club, and any other students interested in writing, contribute. This year student interviews by Marian De Vries with snapshots by David Conger were a feature. The Junior Literary Staff under the guidance of Phyllis Craig had its own Tadpole section in each of the five issues. The typing staff also did good work for this department. The Literary Editor, Quentin R. Verdier, was assisted by Evelyn Kline and Jean Gillespie, juniors.

Through the efforts of David Conger, the Advertising Manager, a new organization of this staff was accomplished, and an ingenious new file card system was installed. This year this greatly enlarged staff averaged at least twenty-five per cent more advertising copy per issue than that of the better staffs in the last few years. Also, the quality of the ads seemed to improve. A fine organization in this department has been trained in ground work for next year's staff.

STUDENT MEMBERS

WARD VERSEPUT	Editor-in-Chief
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WILLIAM BENNETT.....	Business Manager
DAVID CONGER.....	Advertising Manager
AILEEN FULLER	Circulation Manager

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MISS MAURICE A. JONES.....	General Adviser
MISS E. W. COMBS	Art Adviser
MR. PEARL E. OLDT	Technical Adviser
MR. ALFRED G. EPPS.....	Financial Adviser



Seated: Mr. Oldt, Miss Jones, Quentin Verdier, Ward Verseput, Miss Lich, Miss Combs, Mr. Epps •
Standing: Bill Bennett, Aileen Fuller, David Conger.

First Row: D. Ewing, E. Kline, G. Whims, S. Stuart, I. Spring, K. Hewitt, M. De Vries, P. Craig, J. Gillespie, Q. Verdier • Second Row: D. Conger, J. Geyer, M. Pearce, P. Lawrence • Third Row: E. Marsh, N. Bryant, P. Idema, L. Vos, M. Baloyon, A. Wiergaz, J. Mohnke, K. Ossewarde, B. Kellogg, M. Lippman • Fourth Row: J. Witters, M. McGorrill, D. Idema, D. Evans, R. Geer, W. Stone, P. Wilbur, H. Rood, R. Beuker, M. Applegate, K. Ferguson, L. Boshoven • Fifth Row: G. Boozer, D. Gillett, H. Van Dort, E. Laufer, A. Gilleo, B. Blandford, B. Blake, E. DeKlein, M. Nichols, A. Van Nostran, A. Gilleo.





First Row: Aileen Fuller, Ellyeen Dykhuizen, Cynthia Murray, Sallie Grinnell, Martha Stiles, Maurice Hample, Leonard Vander Mate, Roy Boldt, Clayton Kelley, Majhlis Ahlen • Second Row: Betty Merkle, Charlene Hext, Phyllis Huntley, Bill Meek, Dick Markoff, Patricia Idema, Bill McConnell, Betty McCormick, Nancy Palmer, Ted Uhl, Marion Friedrich, Mary Jane Nelson • Third Row: Leon Boverhof, Bernita Fonger, Lila Ahlen, Jane Ackerman, Hazel Amberg, Margaret Kirchmann, Virginia Ashley, Barbara Scheffer • In Front: Bill Bennet, Ward Verseput.

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Seated: Robert Dangl, Paul Lawrence, William Bennett • Standing: Jack Day, Max Pearse, Jack Geyer, David Waer, Miss Sonke.



Helios Business and Circulation Staffs

THE WORK of the circulation department is to sell both the monthly magazine and the Annual Helios. The annual was subscribed for by 800 students. High sellers were Patricia Idema, Margaret Kuchmann, Richard Markoff, Richard Gillette, Lila Ahlen, Jane Ackerman, and Tredway Haglund. Aileen Fuller has been the circulation manager; her assistant, Richard Markoff.

The Business Staff has charge of the financial matters of the publication, including the collection of all bills contracted by advertising in the magazine. Also this year the Business Staff had charge of the taking and distributing of the individual undergraduate pictures for the annual. This department has been under the direction of William Bennett, Business Manager, and his assistant, Nancy Palmer. The staff consisted of Martha Stiles, Betty McCormick, Cynthia Murry, Sally Grinell, William McConnell and Kenneth Hewitt.

Debate Team

DURING THE YEAR of 1938-1939 the debating team, composed of William Bennett, Paul Lawrence, and Robert Dangel, with Miss Dorothy Sonke as coach, enjoyed a most successful season. The team won the first debate of the season, defeating Creston, with Professor Raymond Shoberg of Junior College as critic judge. The next debate, however, brought a split decision defeat in the hands of Lansing Central at Lansing. Spurred by this defeat, Central traveled to Benton Harbor to defeat Benton Harbor High School, following this by a unanimous decision over Middleville, thus winning a wall plaque for the school, and gaining entrance in the elimination series in the final struggle for the State Championship. Drawing a bye in the first round, Central went on to successively defeat Lansing Eastern, Ottawa Hills, and then reached the high point of the season by winning a unanimous decision from Big Rapids, last year's State Champions.

The team lost only in the quarter-finals to Flint Central, who finally won the State Championship.

No little credit is due the second team; David Waer, Jack Geyer, and Max Pearse, who were rated in student decisions to have done the best debating of any of over thirty teams entered in the first debate tournament in Holland.

Senior Play Cast

THE CLASS OF 1939 chose Phillip Barrie's modern comedy, "Spring Dance," for their senior play. This light, happy story of eastern college life was remarkably suited to the class talent, and each member of the cast turned in a fine performance.

New sets and truly luxurious properties were obtained, making this *The* outstanding senior play in all of Central's history. Its huge success was due in a large measure to the persistent efforts of the able director, Miss Dorothy Sonke. The cooperation of the cast and all those connected with the production combined with the expert coaching of Miss Sonke to make this year's class play exceptionally fine.

After the two performances the cast enjoyed a spread at the home of Mable Luton, and a lively party at Miss Sonke's was the coveted reward for a job well done.

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Senior Play Committee

THE VARIOUS COMMITTEES composing the executive staff of the senior play handled the technical and business details remarkably well.

PRODUCTION STAFF

Student Director.....PAUL LAWRENCE
Assistant Director.....JACK DAY
Script Reader.....WILLIAM BENNETT
Sound Manager.....JOHN DE GROOT

STAGE CREW

Manager.....SANDY STUART
Assistant.....RICHARD CROWE
FRANK BEUKER, LESLIE BURNETT, GEORGE ZITON

PROPERTIES

Chairman.....GRETCHIN WHIMS
JACK BURR, HARRIET ROOD, JOHN WAGNER, PAULA
FECHT, RICHARD KIMBALL

COSTUMES

Chairman.....MARYBELLE CHESBOROUGH
CAROLINE ZWICKER, MAY JEAN LANTZ, BETTY
McCORMICK, SALLY ANNE LEWIS, NANCY PALMER

PROGRAM

Chairman.....MARY MIDDLETON
JEAN LOCKHART, CHARLOTTE WHITEMAN, SUZAN
WOOLSEY, STANFORD GRAHAM, PEGGY FORCE

TICKETS

Co-Chairmen.....MAX PEARSE and PAUL SCHWAN
AILEEN FULLER, MARY HUNTLEY, DAVID KELLER,
WILLIAM MAHONEY, JOY MOHNKE, EDWARD RIP-
MASTER, WARD VERSEPUT, GEORGE WARD, LOIS
VOS, BETTY PETERSON

PUBLICITY

Chairman.....PHYLLIS CRAIG
EDWIN UHL, PHILIP JACOBS, ELLYEEN DYKHUIZEN,
LORRAINE KORTLANDER, CLARE CHASE, KATHLEEN
FUSON, PATRICIA LEMMEN, ANTOINETTE WIERGAZ

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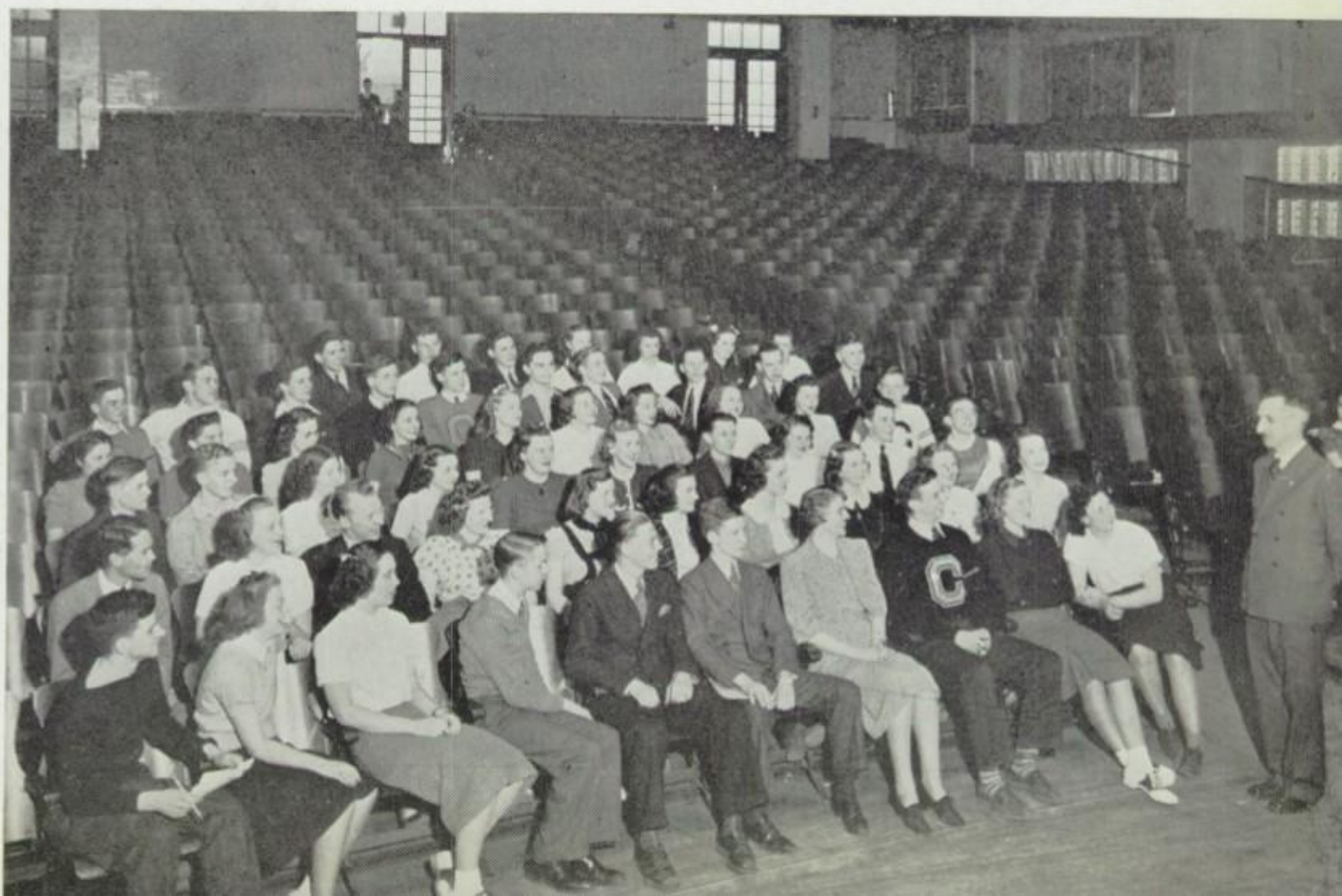
Chairman.....HERBERT VAN DORT
GRETHE FIBIGER, MAURICE HAMPLE, LORETTA
SLANGER, MAISIE GARRIOCK, LILLIAN PUTRA,
CATHERINE WESORICK, MARIAN FRIEDRICH



Standing — Left: Jack Day, Doris Parkhurst. Right: Jack Geyer, Miss Sonke • Seated — Top Row: Bill McConnell, Mary Ellen Applegate, Adele Lafferty, Jack Frey, Marian De Vries, Nate Bryant. Bottom Row: Teresa Maczka, Kenneth Hewitt, Muriel Efty.

ACTIVITIES

First Row: William Bennet, Gretchen Whims, Phyllis Craig, Herbert Vandort, Paul Schwan, Paul Lawrence, Miss Jones, Sandy Stuart, Mary Middleton, Mary Belle Chesebrough • Second Row: Ted Uhl, Lorraine Kortlander, Frank Beuker, Maisie Garriock, Grethe Fibiger, Marion Friedrich, Peggy Force, Aileen Fuller, Lois Vos, Joy Mohnke • Third Row: Ward Verseput, Bill Meek, Grace Loucks, Lilian Putra, Catherine Wesorick, George Ward, Mary Huntley, John Wagner, Jack Burr • Fourth Row: Caroline Zwicker, Jean Lockhart, May Jean Lantz, Florence Bogdanik, Betty Peterson, Harriet Rood, Betty McCormick, Paula Fecht, Nancy Palmer, Tom Straight • Fifth Row: John De Groot, Ed Ripmaster, Dick Kimball, Sam Upton, David Keller, Arthur Northrup, Bill Mahoney, Stanford Graham, David Conger, Jack Day • Sixth Row: Quentin Verdier, Leslie Burnett, Maurice Hample, Eileen Dykhuizen, Antoinette Wiergaz, Patricia Lemmen, Clare Chase.





First Row: Jon Smee, Tredway Haglund, William Bennett, Jack Day, Nancy Palmer • Second Row: Edward Laufer, Arline Van Nostran, Quentin Verdier, Jack Frey • Third Row: Mary Middleton, John Staff, Marybelle Chesebrough • Fourth Row: Bob De Young, Graham Conger • Fifth Row: Peggy Wilbur, Bettelou Bailey, Jim Williams • Standing: Mr. Decker, Gretchen Whims, Isla Spring, Sam Upton, Hugh Lillie, Brooks Applegate, Dick Markoff, Dorothy Rosema, Catherine Verschoor, Richard Straight, Robert Anderson, Don Towers, Jim DeBoer, Robert Olsen, Wayne Stone, Leonard Vander Mate, Doris Van Aartsen.

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First Row: Edward Laufer, Nancy Fyfe, Herbert Vandort, Phyllis Craig, Harriet Rood, Anna Mae Van Aartsen, Quentin Verdier, Doris Parkhurst • Second Row: Jane Waite, Martha Allen, Ruth Ackerman, Nancy Palmer, Antoinette Wiergaz, Mary Belle Chesebrough • Third Row: Ward Verseput, Frieda Braun, Maxine Petoskey, Peggy Wilbur • Standing: May Jean Lantz, Adele Lafferty, Paula Fecht, Leslie Burnett, Bill Bennett, Max Pearce, Paul Lawrence, Bob Campion.



Student Council

THIS YEAR the Student Council has been very successful in furthering two of its greatest aims, certain phases of government, and discipline by the student body.

The Council has benefited a great deal under the guidance of Mr. Decker, the faculty adviser, and we wish to express our appreciation for his interest in helping to solve many of our school problems.

Through the efforts of the Courtesy Squad System during the past two semesters, the school discipline has improved considerably. Most of the assemblies, including the Pep Assemblies in the fall, have been sponsored by the Council, and Exchange Assemblies with various schools have been conducted. One of our greatest achievements has been the forming of a Student Council Constitution. As a whole, Central's Council has had an outstanding year.

OFFICERS

President.....	SANDY STUART
Vice President.....	NANCY PALMER
Secretary-Treasurer.....	ANNA MAE VAN AARTSEN
Editor.....	JACK DAY

ACTIVITIES

National Honor Society

TWICE DURING the school year, new members are elected to the National Honor Society by the vote of the entire faculty. From the upper fourth of the graduating class, fifteen per cent may be chosen on the basis of character, scholarship, leadership and service.

Regular meetings are not held, but are called by the president. This club sponsors the Lost and Found Department of the school, provides for the illuminated wreath and other Christmas decorations, and at the end of the year gives an annual dinner for the active and graduate members.

These activities are carried on under the kind direction of Miss M. R. Powers, Miss Alicent Holt, Miss Florence Powers, Miss Nellie Hayes, Mr. A. Albee, and Mr. Alan B. Robinette.

OFFICERS

First Semester		Second Semester
QUENTIN VERDIER.....	President.....	EDWARD LAUFER
WILLIAM BENNETT.....	Vice President.....	PHYLLIS CRAIG
ANNA MAE VAN AARTSEN.....	Secretary.....	HARRIET ROOD
DORIS PARKHURST.....	Treasurer.....	HERBERT VAN DORT
WARD VERSEPUT.....	Registrar.....	NANCY FYFE

Classical Club

THE CLASSICAL CLUB is composed of students in their third and fourth year of Latin who have maintained an average of "C" or above in their first two years.

Meetings are held once a month at which the members carry out the purpose of the organization, to further the interest in Roman life and customs. In February the club held its annual banquet, and at another special meeting in May, open to all Latin classes, Miss Hinsdale gave a very interesting talk on Italy. Each year the Classical Club gives two awards: the Anna S. Jones Award, a five-dollar prize for excellence in first year Latin, and a medal for the best work in fourth year Latin. As a service to the school, the club sponsors the used-book sale. For their fine help and interest the club wishes to thank its sponsors, Miss Mary R. Powers, and Miss Alicent Holt.

OFFICERS

First Semester		Second Semester
WILLIAM BENNETT.....	President.....	WILLIAM BENNETT
NANCY PALMER.....	Vice President.....	PAUL JONES
MARIAN DeVRIES.....	Secretary.....	PHYLLIS CRAIG
WARD VERSEPUT.....	Treasurer.....	EDWIN UHL

ACTIVITIES

Mathematics Club

THE CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL Mathematics Club was organized in 1926, its purpose being to promote student interest in mathematics. To be eligible, a student must have maintained a "B" average in the year of algebra and the year of geometry he has taken, and must have taken, or be taking, some form of higher mathematics. The club offers an annual award of five dollars to the student having the highest average in seventh and eighth grade arithmetic and algebra. This encourages seventh, eighth, and ninth grade students to higher interests in mathematics. This award is presented at the Honor Assembly each June.

The club wishes to express its sincere appreciation to its sponsor, Miss Dora W. Reese, who has so kindly given her advice and assistance in all activities.

OFFICERS

First Semester		Second Semester
QUENTIN VERDIER.....	President.....	NANCY PALMER
ANNA MAE VAN AARTSEN.....	Vice President.....	CAROLINE ZWICKER
MARTHA ALLEN.....	Secretary.....	MARTHA ALLEN
WARD VERSEPUT.....	Treasurer.....	WILLIAM MAHONEY



Seated: Marian De Vries, Phyllis Craig, Bill Bennett, Ted Uhl, Paul Jones • Standing: Patricia Lemmen, Mary Middleton, Jean Gillespie, Mary Jean Lantz, Max Pearce, Jack Geyer, Mary Ellen Applegate, Irene Dutkiewicz, Antoinette Wiergaz, Paul Lawrence, David Waer, Ward Verseput, Cynthia Murray, Edward Laufer, Nancy Palmer, Anita Gilleo.

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First Row: Nancy Palmer, Caroline Zwicker, Bill Mahoney, Quentin Verdier, Anna Mae Van Aartsen, Martha Allen • Second Row: Doris Parkhurst, Gretchen Whims, Bob Dangi, Bill Upton, Phillip Jacobs, Leslie Burnett • Third Row: Ward Vreseput, Ruth Ackerman, Maxine Petoskey, Paul Lawrence, Edward Laufer, Alten Gilleo, Glen Nelson • Four Row: Bill Bennett, Jack Geyer, Miss Reese, Cynthia Murray, Harriet Rood, Betty McCormick, Anita Gilleo, Peggy Wilbur, Evelyn Kline, Colleen Bourne • Fifth Row: Philip Warren, Homer Adrianse, Gordon Van Ostenburg, Tom Straight, Hugh Lillie, David Idema, Arthur Krueger, Harold Wheeler, Harold DeYoung, Ulysses Stoeffler, John Staff, Herbert Vandort, Bill Meek.





In Front: Sam Upton • Seated: Mr. Waters, Mr. Irwin, Mr. Mathews, Don Kegstra, John Wagner, Nick Afentuldis, Charles Gogo, Dale Bearss, Robert Dangi, Gerald Lipscomb, Tom Straight, John De Groot, Robert Olsen • First Row Standing: Richard Geer, Harold Wilkowski, Walter Brooks, John Krueger, Joe Cassis, Richard Crowe, Fred Maloley, Ed McNamara, Howard Phillips, Jim Morgenstern, Bill Upton, Dick Straight, Nick Assaley, Jim Miller • Second Row Standing: Russ Jones, Maurice Hample, Bob McGee, Bill Calkins, Steve Stevens, Jack Burr, Abe Marcusse, John Van Dam, Don Van Lier, Thane Hendershot, David Keller, Tom Clare, Dick Hendrickson, Theodore Haan, David McMahon • Third Row Standing: Sandy Stuart, Edward Ripmaster, Dick Markoff, Melvin Hoekstra, Dick Kimball.

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Dick Markoff, Ward Verseput, Paul Lawrence, Rex Bignall, John De Groot, Gordon Boozer, William O'Conner, Ray Van Stee, Homer Adrianse, Clayton Kelley, D. Lipner, Jack Crawford, Sam Upton, Nick Afentuldis, Jack Burr, Glen Nelson, John Krueger, Richard Goossen, Richard Geer, Wayne Stone, Dick Hondorp, Dick Worden, Floyd Barber, William Mahoney, David Ewing, Dick Gillette, Jack Ransom, Dale Bearss, George Claver, R. Van Ryn, Thane Hendershot, C. Claver, Peter Cole, Jim Goldammer, David Keller, Tom Straight, Frank Beuker, Jack Demmink, John Witters, Robert Olsen, Bill Upton, Willard Stormzand, Marvin De Witt, Alex Dillingham, Don Bender, Ed Ripmaster, Dick Straight, Mr. Coryell, Phillip Haan.



"C" Club

THE "C" CLUB is an honorary society made up of boys that have won major awards in athletics. The purpose of this club is to promote athletics in the school, to encourage a high scholastic standing among athletes, and to engender the highest type of sportsmanship in athletic contests.

During the past year the varsity club has promoted many worthwhile activities. Track awards for the Session Rooms' meet were furnished from the proceeds of paddle-pop sales at the basketball games and from after-school moving picture entertainments. The club is very much indebted to Mr. Waters, Mr. Irwin, and Mr. Matthews, the three sponsors, for the fine cooperation they have rendered.

The formal initiation has been conducted at special assemblies at the conclusion of each sport. Frequent meetings have been held throughout the year to carry on business that may come up. Sometimes, refreshments were served.

OFFICERS

President.....	SAM UPTON, JR.
Vice President.....	DALE BEARSS
Secretary	GERALD LIPSCOMB
Treasurer	ROBERT DANGL

ACTIVITIES

Hi-Y Club

AGAIN THIS YEAR the Hi-Y continued its beneficial school activities by operating the scoreboard at our football and basketball games. The club also introduced the "School Spirit Week."

Hi-Y delegates attended the State Hi-Y Congress, The Older Boys' Conference, and the County Girl Reserve-Hi-Y Conference. Highlights of the school year were the Assembly presented and directed by the members, and two dances. This year the Hi-Y will again present the Gordon Scott Cup to the Senior boy who highest in athletics, scholarship, and leadership.

The club advisor is Mr. Sherman Coryell.

OFFICERS

First Semester		Second Semester
JOHN DE GROOT.....	President.....	DICK MARKOFF
JOHN KREUGER.....	Vice President.....	RICHARD GEER
PAUL LAURENCE.....	Secretary.....	WAYNE STONE
TOM STRAIGHT.....	Treasurer.....	FLOYD BARBER, JR.

Current Events Club

THE CURRENT EVENTS CLUB of Central High School was organized in 1934 by American History and Government students for the purpose of promoting discussion of current events.

Students who are taking or have taken American History or Government are eligible for membership. No dues are required. At the meetings, which are held the first and third Fridays of each month, reports on topics of current interest are given by club members. These reports are followed by informal discussions.

The club is greatly indebted to its sponsor, Miss Maurine A. Jones, for her splendid cooperation and guidance.

OFFICERS

First Semester		Second Semester
LORRAINE KORTLANDER.....	President.....	ROBERT OLSON
MARY MIDDLETON.....	Vice President.....	JEAN LOCKHART
MARY ELLEN APPLGATE.....	Secretary-Treasurer.....	MARY ELLEN APPLGATE

ACTIVITIES

Le Cercle Francais

THE MEMBERSHIP of "Le Cercle Francais" consists of students who are in the second or third year of French and have had at least an average of "B" in the first year.

The meetings, which are held each month during the school year, are entertaining and educational, the programs consisting of games, plays, talks, and French songs. Several of the members have, through correspondence with students in France, learned some very interesting facts about French customs, schools, and people.

The club members wish to thank Miss Florence Powers and Miss McKenzie, its sponsors, for their direction and advice; it is the hope of the members that interest in the club may be increased each year by a greater number of French students.

OFFICERS

First Semester		Second Semester
MARY BELLE CHESEBROUGH.....	President.....	PAUL JONES
GRETCHIN WHIMS.....	Vice President.....	EVELYN KLINE
MARGARET PORTER.....	Secretary.....	MARGARET PORTER
DAVID WAER.....	Treasurer.....	HERBERT VAN DORT
HERBERT VAN DORT.....	Sergeant-at-Arms.....	HUDSON WHITE



Standing: Robert Olsen • First Row: Lorraine Kortlander, Mary Ellen Applegate, Jean Lockhart, Mary Middleton, Harriet Rood, Richard Evans, Marjane Bird • Second Row: Myrtle Schuitema, Eileen Dykhuizen, Peggy Force, Mildred Karpenia, Maisie Garriock, Antoinette Wiergaz, Clare Chase, Patricia Lemmen • Third Row: Ruth Curtis, Phyllis Craig, Muriel Efty, Lorraine Burbridge, Harold Wheeler, Herbert Vandort, Glen Nelson, Alten Gilleo, George Ward • Fourth Row: Miss Jones, Mary Pridgeon, Irene Higgins, Jean Taylor, Catherine Ferguson, Paula Fecht, Gretchin Whims, Florence Bogdanik, Betty Peterson • Fifth Row: Isla Spring, Bob Dangi, Lorraine Drury, Lois Vos, Mary Jane Nelson, Elizabeth Wilson, Cynthia Murray, Leslie Burnett, John Staff, Jim Wyckoff, Quentin Verdier, Jack Frey, Hugh Blacklock, Frank Beuker.

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Dick Evans, Paula Fecht, Phyllis Craig, David Waer, Nancy Palmer, David Keller, Betty McCormick, Hudson White, Evelyn Kline, Mary Ellen Applegate, Muriel Efty, Harriet Rood, Paul Jones, Edward Aldworth, Miss MacKenzie, Miss Powers, Herbert Vandort, Ruth Meyers, Betsy Blandford, Margaret Porter, Mary Belle Chesebrough, Elizabeth Blacklock, Jane Waite, Donna Wanner, May Jean Lantz, Jean Lockhart, Adele Lafferty, Marjorie Ogren, Florence Eckberg, Teresa Maczka, Colleen Bourne, Anna Mae Van Aartsen, Marian Carlson, Mildred Karpenia, Martha Allen, Marion Friedrich, Marjorie Baloyan, Margaret Nichols, Loretta Slinger, Irene Higgins, Gretchen Whims, Lois Boshoven, Quentin Verdier.





First Row: Quentin Verdier talking, Anita Gilleo, Phyllis Huntley, Herbert Vandort, Max Pearse, Miss Clay • Second Row: George Ward, Dick Evans, Bob Dangi, Gretchen Whims, Irene Higgins, Paula Fecht, Mary Ellen Applegate, Jim Wyckoff • Third Row: James Goldammer, Harold DeYoung, Dorothy Wise, Mary Anne Wise, Margaret Porter, Edith DeKlein, Margaret Nichols, Marian Barclay, Peggy Wilbur.

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Seated: Bill Bennett, Dick Markoff, Jack Frey, Max Pearse, Bill Mahoney, Sandy Stuart, Paul Lawrence, Bill Meek, Alten Gilleo • Standing: Miss Peet, Margaret Hugmeyer, Lois Van Chuyler, Nancy Palmer, Marion DeVries, Don Bender, Dick Gillette, Wayne Stone, Milt McGorrill, Nate Bryant, Gordon Boozer, Jack Day, Jack Geyer, Bob Dangi, Lois Boshoven, Miss Gleye, Gretchen Whims, Rose Beuker, Mary Ellen Applegate, Paula Fecht, Marijane Bird, Elizabeth Wilson.



Pen & Pencil Club

THE PEN AND PENCIL CLUB is for those students who are interested in creative writing and literature. The only requirement is that the student has completed English V or VI with a standing of at least "B."

At the meetings, held the second and fourth Thursdays of each month, the students read their poems and stories and listened to reports on current books or plays.

The club is under the very able sponsorship of Miss Clay.

OFFICERS

Honorary President.....	QUENTIN VERDIER
President	MAX PEARSE
Vice President.....	HERBERT VAN DORT
Secretary-Treasurer	PHYLLIS HUNTLEY

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Sock and Buskin Club

THE SOCK AND BUSKIN CLUB, as its name implies, is an organization interested in the further development of dramatics. Membership is by tryout on the recommendation of the public speaking teacher, the participation in two school stage productions, or by the vote of the club because of outstanding work in dramatics. Though the club began the year with only six members, it has been very successful in carrying out its purpose.

In December the annual Vodvil was sponsored by Sock and Buskin and was received by the school as one of the best in recent years. From the proceeds the club bought various stage equipment, including a new set of stairs and a fireplace. It also made donations to other school organizations.

Another major activity of the club was the taking charge of the exchange assemblies for the student council. The assembly, made up of a play, dance routines, a little comedy, and several musical numbers, was sent to Muskegon, South, and Union Highs. A fine response was given it everywhere.

The club has two meetings a month, one a business meeting at school and the other a spread at some member's home. At these spread meetings skits are given by various members.

As in the past, the club is presenting the Ethel K. Nistle Award to the senior outstanding in dramatics, debate, and oratory.

The members of the Sock and Buskin Club wish to express their deep appreciation to Miss Peet and Miss Gleye for their sympathetic endeavors in aiding the club throughout the year.

OFFICERS

First Semester		Second Semester
JACK DAY.....	President.....	JACK DAY
WILLIAM MAHONEY.....	Vice President.....	JACK GEYER
GRETCHEN WHIMS.....	Secretary.....	GRETCHEN WHIMS
MAX PEARSE.....	Treasurer.....	ALTON GILLES

Biology Club

THE CENTRAL BIOLOGY CLUB was organized in February, 1928, for the purpose of seeking the truths of nature and thereby becoming friends and lovers of wild life.

Membership is open to students completing the second semester of Biology, Botany, or Zoology with an average of "C." Meetings are held the second and fourth Friday of each month. This year the club had several hot-dog sales in the lower hall. They also gave baskets to the needy at Christmas time. A number of hikes were enjoyed by the members, one being a joint hike with the Conservation Club.

The club is very grateful for the cooperation given by its sponsors, Miss Porter and Mr. Ashley.

OFFICERS

President	BETTELOU BAILEY
Vice President.....	LORRAINE FAASSE
Secretary	JEAN BIDELMAN
Treasurer	DOROTHY STARZAK
Sergeant-at-Arms.....	HOMER IVES

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Conservation Club

THE PURPOSE of the Conservation Club is to help preserve wild life. Some forms of life have become extinct as recently as five years ago, and more are on the verge of extinction unless something very drastic can be done.

Those who are interested in the work of the club and wish to cooperate in attaining the club's objective may become members.

This organization meets twice a month, one meeting being for business, the other for a program.

This club is greatly indebted to its very thoughtful sponsor, Miss Whittemore.

OFFICERS

President	TREDWAY HAGLUND
Vice President.....	BERNICE VAN SETTERS
Secretary	TERESA MACZKA
Treasurer.....	EDITH DE KLEIN



First Row: Barbara Loveland, Florence Williams, Virginia Frawley, Lorraine Fassfe, Alicent Epps, Bettelou Bailey, Jean Bidelman • Second Row: Edith DeKlein, Betty Blake, Homer Ives, Eugene Places, Mr. Ashley, Lorraine Decker, Maxine Petoskey, Betty Fleck, Marian Barclay, Peggy Wilbur, Marjorie Baloyan, Margaret Nichols, Ethel Koster, Dorothy Starzak, Jean Rolfe, Stanford Graham, Miss Porter.

Betty Bush, Doris Jones, V. Stamos, T. Stamos, R. Kubiak, L. Stormzand, Barbara Loveland, Patricia Chapman, Jane Ackerman, Florence Bogdanik, N. Huff, Lois Boshoven, Herbert Vandort, Mary Pridgeon, Bernita Fonger, Edith DeKlein, Bernice Van Setters, Tredway Haglund, Teresa Maczka, L. Verburg, E. Owen, B. Latta, Maisie Garriock, Robert Olsen, Maurice Hample, B. Krystiniak, Jean Rolfe, M. L. Hemmes, P. Dalson, P. Jones, B. Van Ryan, C. Clower, Margaret Nichols, Mary Mac Gregor, S. Cole, J. Baired, K. Mersman, F. Davis, D. Hooksma, Alicent Epps, R. Brown, Margaret Porter, Madeline Green, Ruth Curtis.





W. Verseput	P. Fecht	D. Idema	B. Barber	P. Warren	D. Gilbert
P. Wilbur	H. Vandort	P. Boogard	H. Adrainse	S. DeNeut	C. Bourne
H. Wheeler	M. E. Applegate	H. Lillie	R. Crowe	P. Force	Mr. Barber
D. Andrews	M. Efty	B. Dangi	L. Burnett	E. Welch	Mr. Newcomer
P. Huntley	S. Stuart	J. Goldammer	P. Cole	J. Lanty	G. Ward
J. Geyer	M. J. Nelson	E. Laufer	T. Straight	J. Waite	L. Kortlander
C. Zwickler	P. Craig	G. VanOostenburg	B. Mahoney	M. Nichols	I. Van Popering
G. Nelson	G. Whims	Bill Upton	B. Blandford	N. Bryant	P. Jacobs
B. McCormick	H. Rood	H. Ives	M. De Vries	L. Reynhout	G. Claver
F. Beuker	B. Scheffer	A. Krueger	D. Bearss	R. Kloote	B. Campion
K. Ferguson	D. Straight	J. Wycoff	R. Van Ryn	B. McConnell	D. Keller
R. Beuker	A. Gilleo				

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Patty Hefferan, Bette Williams, K. Clapp, M. Lippman, Paul Smith, Eileen Dykhuizen, Loretta Slinger, Marion Friedrich, Mary Jane Nelson, Maxine Petoskey, Grace Loucks, Doris Andrews, Laverne Thronson, Maurice Hample, T. Magerack, Maisie Garriock, Jack Ransom, Kay Ossewarde, Roy Boldt, Marian Barclay, Leonard Vander Mate, Herbert Vandort, Clayton Kelley, Harold Wilkowski, Miss Combs.



Phy-Chem Club

THE PHY-CHEM CLUB has been in existence for several years. The membership of this club consists of students who have taken at least one semester of Chemistry or Physics and have an average of "C" or better.

The program of the club is a combination of social and educational meetings, besides demonstrations by the sponsors. Plans have been made for trips to places of interest to gain further scientific knowledge. Spreads and social meetings have been part of the year's program.

OFFICERS

First Semester		Second Semester
ROSE BEUKER.....	President.....	RICHARD STRAIGHT
GLENN NELSON.....	Vice President.....	WARD VERSEPUT
PEGGY WILBUR.....	Secretary.....	BETSY BLANDFORD
WILLIAM MAHONEY.....	Treasurer.....	ALTON GILLES

Art Club

THE ART CLUB is celebrating its third anniversary. The club was organized for the purpose of promoting Art interest among Central High students.

This club is open to all those students who have one semester of high school Art, with an average of "B."

Regular meetings are held on the second and fourth Tuesdays of the month. Talks, visits to the Art Gallery, and other activities compose the meetings. Our table at the All Club Banquet showed some of the club's work.

Activities of the Art Club close each spring with an Art Exhibit which this year proved unusually successful.

The members wish to thank their sponsor, Miss Combs, for her time and cooperation which she has so willingly given to the club.

OFFICERS

President	LEONARD VANDER MATE
Vice President.....	ROY BOLDT
Secretary	MARIAN BARCLAY
Treasurer	HERBERT VAN DORT

THE HOME ECONOMICS CLUB celebrated its tenth birthday anniversary by having its fifth Mother-Daughter Banquet in March. Eighty-three attended, including alumni. The club is affiliated with the American Home Economics Association. This year it sent four members to the State Convention in Traverse City and contributed to the International Scholarship fund.

"Consumer Education" was the program theme for the year. Speakers were enjoyed on such subjects as "What the Consumer Should Know," by an advertizer; "The Home Beautiful," by an interior decorator; and "Buying Utensils," by a Home Service expert. Included in the year's program were a spread, teas, and the making of 113 scrapbooks for the invalids at the Soldiers' Home. A "C" average in all subjects is required for club membership. The silver pin of the American Home Economics Association was awarded to Senior girls who were outstanding in leadership, cooperation, and loyalty.

The club is grateful to its sponsor, Miss Gillette, for her cooperation and assistance.

OFFICERS

President	PEGGY WILBUR
Vice President.....	BETSY BLANDFORD
Secretary.....	MARY BELLE CHESEBROUGH
Treasurer	EDNETA WELSH
Sergeant-at-Arms	BETTY MOLINE
Registrar	MARJORIE OGREN
Librarian	EVELYN BREWER

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Girl Reserves

THE SENIOR GIRL RESERVES is a club of girls interested in the YWCA work and in creating good fellowship among themselves and others. There is no limit to the number of girls who have the privilege of becoming members of this club.

The club sends two representatives to the State Girl Reserves Conference which is held in different cities each year. The members have also sponsored many paddle-pop sales. The annual beach party held at the close of school, ends the work for the year.

We owe our happy success to Mrs. Robert Bacon and Mrs. I. Whitfield, our club sponsors.

OFFICERS

President.....	ARLINE VAN NOSTRAN
Vice President.....	MARYJANE MYERS
Secretary	SHIRLEE NELSON
Treasurer	PEGGY WILBUR



In Front: Peggy Wilbur, Mary Belle Chesebrough • First Row: Esther Zwier, Viola Salek, Evelyn Kozak, Jane Waite, Florence Bogdanik, Edneta Welch, Betsy Blandford, Bernice Van Setters, Teresa Maczka • Second Row: Cornelia Heyboer, Dorothy Ferwerda, Marjorie De Young, Virginia Ashley, Florence Williams, Shirley Jean Dygert, Evelyn Brewer, Betty Moline, Phyllis Huntley, Kathleen Bergenaus, Virginia Frawley, Antoinette Wiergaz, Bettelou Bailey, Jeanne Morrissey • Third Row: Caroline Zwicker, Marian Kameraad, Phyllis Beverly, Theresa Burggraaf, Betty Fleck, Doris Grawburg, Jean Rolfe, Dorothy Bargard, Mildred Wickerham, Jo Ann Seastrom, Abbie Seastrom, Colleen Bourne, Evelyn Verhey, Annette Veenstra, Marian Viergever, Marjorie Ogren, Maisie Garriock, Barbara Slinger, Jean Bidelman.

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First Row: Dorothy Tiggelman, Bernice Van Setters, Gladys Myckowiak, Betty Van Aartsen, Teresa Maczka, Barbara McKenna • Second Row: Kay Visser, Catherine Wesorick, Marjorie Baloyan, Jean Rolfe, June Carlson, Grace Hatch, Bernita Fonger, Mary Pridgeon, Florence Williams, Barbara Loveland, Virginia Frawley • Third Row: Kathleen Bergmans, Joan Westra, Betty Grotenhuis, June Meleser, Maisie Garriock, Peggy Wilbur, Maryjane Myers, Arline Van Nostran, Clare Chase, Anna Mae Van Aartsen, Martha Allen, Patricia Lemmen, Helen Ann Richardson, Ruth Curtis, Madeline Green.





Seated: Antoinette Wiergaz, Peggy Wilbur, Aileen Fuller, Isla Spring, Mary Ellen Applegate, Harriet Rood, Mary Belle Chesebrough, Teresa Maczka, Bernice Van Setters, Betty Moline, Colleen Bourne
 • Standing: Florence Eckburg, Jane Waite, Evelyn Brewer, Paula Fecht.



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First Row: Major Ferguson, Harry Lenford, Rose Beuker, Maryijane Bird, Eleanor Comrie, Evelyn De Witt, M. L. Hemmes, Lorraine Mell, Eleanor Meyers, Lois Vos, George Leetsma, Roy Boldt, John Staff, Leonard Vander Mate, R. Allen, R. Crothers, L. Cain, Sergeant VerBost • Second Row: M. Hample, A. Glimn, C. Brower, J. Dean, R. Jones, L. Durkee, L. Butler, F. Cross, P. Bramble, R. Bloore, R. Cooper, R. Gazella, J. Bronkhorst, C. Kelley, H. Wilham • Third Row: Grant Balkema, E. Graham, J. Henry, Milanowski, R. Jennings, R. Millar, E. Kammert, G. Ledbetter, B. Clapp, A. Krueger, K. Nichols, C. Ide, Ketner, B. Palmer • Fourth Row: H. Wheeler, D. Root, R. Verseput, T. Theodore, C. Reintges, C. Wheaton, H. Wyma, R. Reber, R. Yokum • Fifth Row: R. Aldering, E. Lindberg, P. Crews, S. Fleeger, L. Bowers, B. Antonopulos, B. Banks, L. Efting, T. Dillingham, R. Haglund, D. Benson, D. Lewis • Sixth Row: B. Root, B. Hoover, J. Palmerston, Q. Holmberg, R. Osmun, F. Closer, B. Van Zytveld • Seventh Row: C. Strom, J. Verstay, C. Wilson, K. Sutter, C. Swanson, W. Woodhouse, E. Schott, E. Wyma, F. Hopkins, T. Roeper, J. Sloss, L. Roxby, J. Simon, R. Blair.



Agona

THE AGONA CLUB is a club of athletic girls in Central. But requirements for membership in this club are not limited to athletics alone, for a "B" scholastic average is also required. With such high membership qualifications, we aim to encourage scholarship and to uphold athletics. To fulfill this, each year two cups are given, the Junior Agona Cup to the girl in the ninth grade who has earned her letter and has the highest scholastic average, and the Tri-Honor Cup, which is presented to a Senior Girl who has been highest in athletics, scholarship and leadership.

As in the past, we have sponsored the All Club Banquet, which was commended by all as a great success this spring.

We owe a successful year to Miss Campbell and Miss Kilstrom, who have been kind and helpful sponsors.

OFFICERS

First Semester

MARY BELLE CHESEBROUGH.....	President.....	MARY BELLE CHESEBROUGH
BERNICE VAN SETTERS.....	Vice President.....	HARRIET ROOD
JANE WAITE.....	Secretary.....	TERESA MACZKA
PAULA FECHT.....	Treasurer.....	MARY ELLEN APPLGATE
TERESA MACZKA.....	Scribe.....	BERNICE VAN SETTERS

Second Semester

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R. O. T. C.

THE MAIN PURPOSE of the R.O.T.C. is to promote citizenship, and leadership. The work consists of instruction in courtesy, first aid, rifling, map-reading, marching drill, scouting, and personal hygiene.

There is a Federal Inspection held once a year followed by a Field Day program at Julius Houseman Field in which the units from Central, South, and Union take part. Honorary awards are given at this time.

On Armistice Day the rifle team always adds a colorful bit to the ceremony. This team also annually competes in the Hearst National Trophy match.

The sponsors take an active part in the flag-raising ceremony at the football games, march in the parades, and generally assist all activities of the R.O.T.C. Central has noted a great improvement in the unit with the addition of these girls.

COMPANY "B," R.O.T.C. UNIT, CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL

BATTALION OFFICERS

Cadet Captain — George Leetsma.

COMPANY PERSONNEL

Cadet Captain — Roy Bolt, commanding.

Cadet 1st Lieutenant — John Staff, second in command.

Cadet 1st Lieutenant — Leonard VanderMate.

Cadet 2nd Lieutenant — Robert Crothers.

Cadet 2nd Lieutenant — Robert Allen.

Cadet 1st Sergeant — Louis Cain.

Cadet Technical Sergeant — Harold Witham.

A Cappella Choir

THE A CAPPELLA CHOIR of Central High School during the last year has more than held up the high standards set by previous choirs. It has sung beautifully at a concert for the M.E.A. at Central, in the Christmas Assembly program, at East Church, in the May Music Festival, and in the Annual Concert at South High School.

The main project of the year was to secure robes. Besides being helped by last year's choir, through generous donations, projects, and individual aid, we were able to purchase stunning new vestments. The Octet proved to be a popular division of the choir. This group sang at many gatherings and was warmly received.

The Choir wishes to take this opportunity to express its appreciation for the patience and thoughtfulness our talented director, Mr. Irvin J. Barr, has shown toward the work this year.

OFFICERS

First Semester		Second Semester
DICK STRAIGHT.....	President.....	JACK FREY
JEAN TAYLOR.....	Secretary.....	WAYNE STONE

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Treble Clef

THE TREBLE CLEF CLUB was organized by a group of girls from the Junior Girls' Glee Club in the latter part of February, 1939. The members of the club are girls who are interested in music and have musical ability. They were given tryouts and only the best were admitted. Although they are a newly organized club, they are trying their best to carry out their purpose which is to better music in Central High School. At their meetings, which are held every two weeks, they have a regular business meeting and then a program. Sometimes they have an outside speaker or musician, a talented person; at other times they have a special kind of program which they call a music bee. They were represented at the All Club Banquet and received many compliments on their table.

OFFICERS

President	ELEANOR MERRICK
Vice President.....	BEVERLY MENTOR
Secretary	BETTY ANN DE MAAGD
Treasurer	SHIRLEY ANN WORDEN
Sentinel	JEAN MISKILL



First Row: Dorothy Newcomer, Lorraine Decker, Arva Voss, Marvin Behrens, Jack Ransom, Ward Verseput, Andy Hanson, Jack Crawford, Sam Upton, Richard Geer, Ruth Jeltima, Grace Hatch, Doris Parkhurst • Second Row: Jean Taylor, Florence Kridler, Eileen Dykhuizen, Barbara Scheffer, James Goldammer, Bob Clark, Bill Upton, Wayne Stone, Maryon Clark, Dorothy Gilbert, Bernice Van Setters, Teresa Maczka • Third Row: Jean Gillespie, Doris Richards, Peggy Wierengo, Margaret Helder, Wanda Cochrane, Robert Olsen, Jack Frey, Quentin Verdier, Nick Afentuldis, Dorothy Tiggelman, Myrtle Schuitema, Helen Ann Richardson • Fourth Row: Mary Huntley, Lorayne Drury, Betty Moline, Dorothy Cook, Harvey Dams, Ed Ripmaster, Robert Kutsche, Richard Straight, Phyllis Huntley, Barbara Slanger, Eva Jane Moon, Gladys Myckowiak.

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First Row: P. White, P. Curtis, J. Miskill, S. Warden, B. De Maagd, S. Murray, V. Ashley • Second Row: B. Reynolds, J. Walker, S. Crume, J. Bridges, M. Hibbert, A. Seastrom, S. De Kraker • Third Row: D. Peterson, D. Kucera, S. Nelson, L. Vette, B. Mentor, S. Mason • Fourth Row: B. Vanderwerf, V. De Witt, V. Boldt, A. Veenstra, E. Rowland • Standing: E. Merrick, B. De Haan, E. Evans, J. Kleyenbergh, M. Goodman.





BESIDES PLAYING for many assemblies during the year, the orchestra furnishes intermission music for the Vodvil and the Senior Play.

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THE BAND, shown here in concert formation, also functions as a marching unit at football games under the baton of William Meyers, drum major (inset).



The Central High School Orchestra

UNDER THE LEADERSHIP of Mr. M. A. Petrilli, the senior orchestra of Central High School has successfully completed another profitable year in the furtherance of music. It has played for assemblies, the Vodvil, the Senior Play, and activities outside of school. In May, it participated in the annual Spring Festival. Our student soloists were Margaret Nichols (flute) and Ward Verseput (piano). Mr. Barr, Central vocal instructor, and Mr. Dean, vocal teacher of Davis Tech, were guest artists. This was the largest orchestra to participate in the All City Orchestra Festival.

Next year, we are planning on organizing a music club.

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The Central High School Band

UNDER THE ABLE direction of Mr. Petrilli, the band has taken its place in the school activities, both cultural and athletic, and in many civic affairs. This year it participated in the combined Music Department Concert. The soloist was Howard Nelson, trombonist, who played "Beautiful Colorado." The band has also appeared in the Band Festival made up of all the city high school bands.

This past year, through Mr. Upton's interest, the band has been completely equipped with new military uniforms. Next year the band is hoping for an addition of twenty uniforms, thereby giving us eighty in our Central High Band. This year's organization is composed of sixty-five members who take an active interest in music.

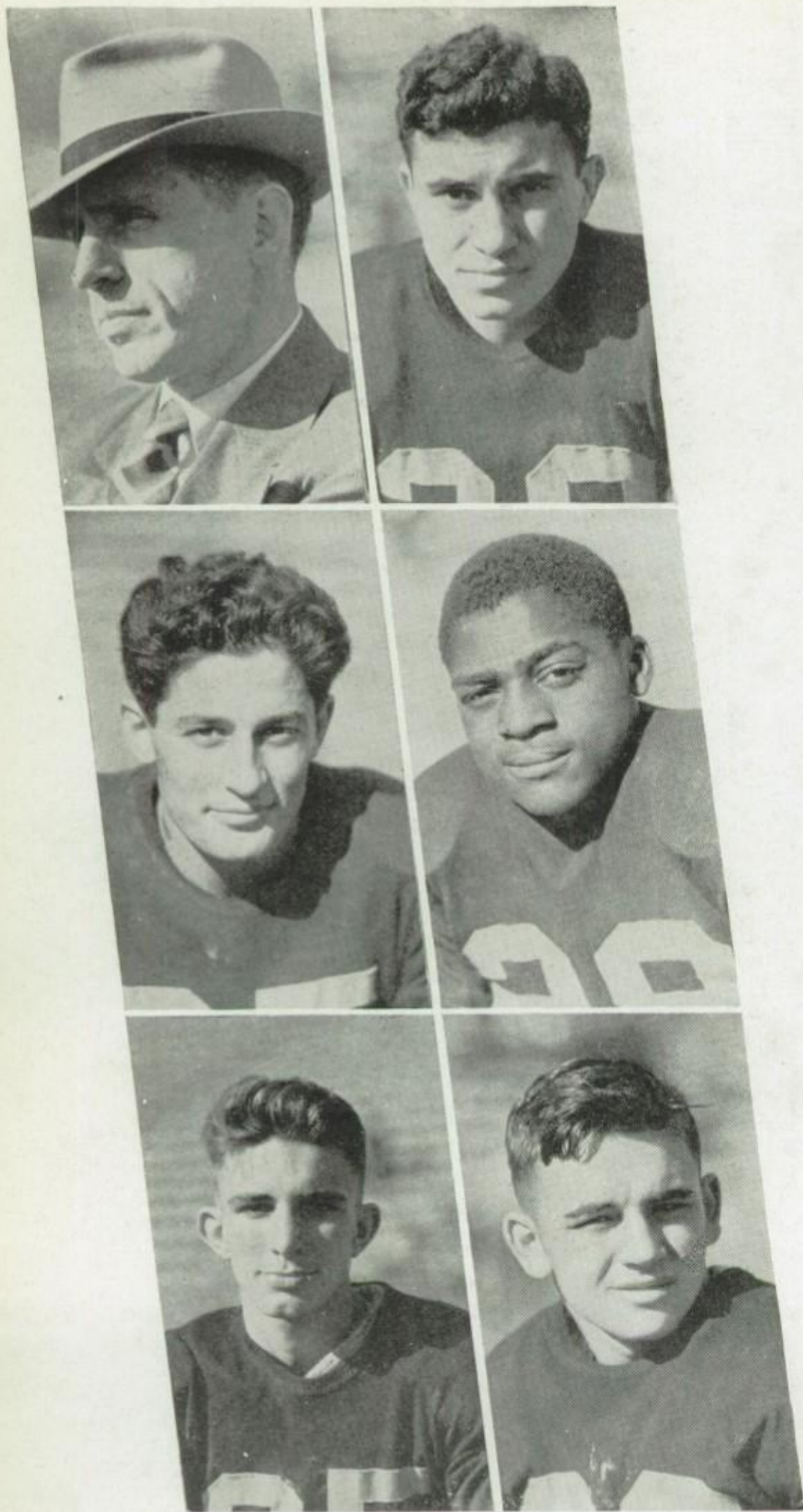
The Band wishes to thank Sergeant VerBust for his fine work in drilling the boys for marching formations during the football season.

BRAINS ARE FINE in the classroom, but
on the athletic field — give us also
brawn!

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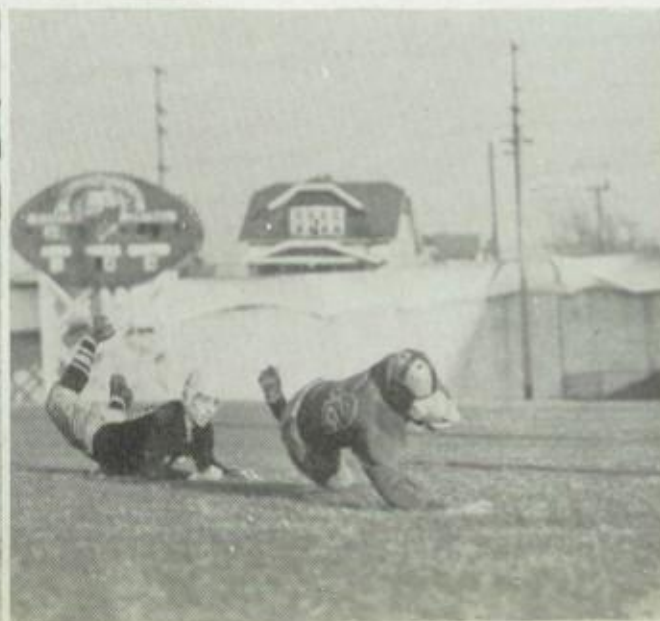


1st Team Football

THE YEAR AFTER a school has produced a city championship team is usually an off year for that school as far as winning football teams are concerned, and this year proved to be no exception. Only one regular, Captain Fred Maloley, and four reserves, Tom Straight, Bill Calkins, Dick Kimball,

Coach Waters
Afentuldis
Burr

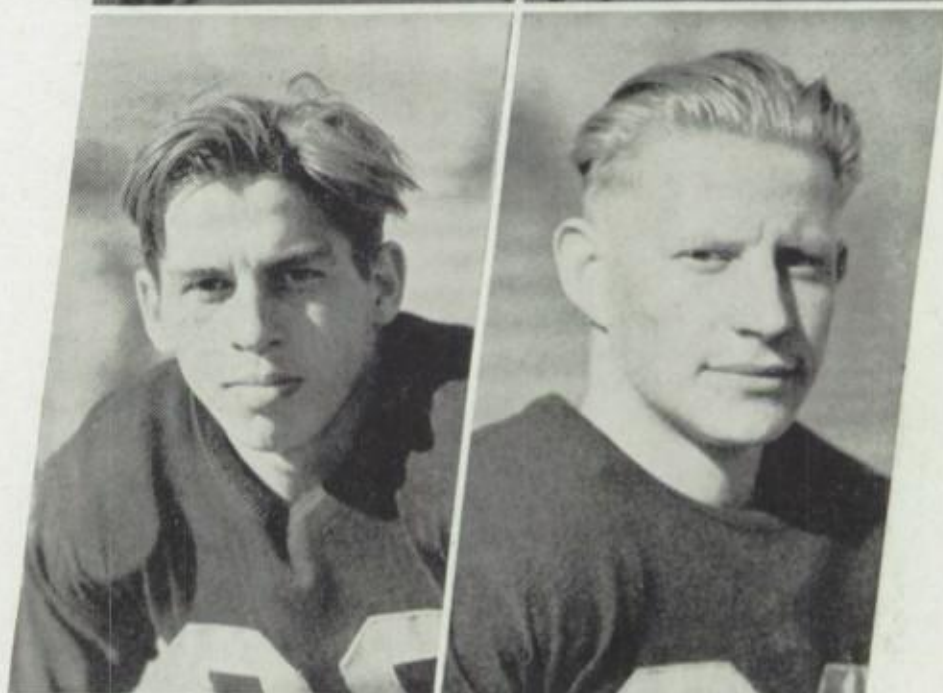
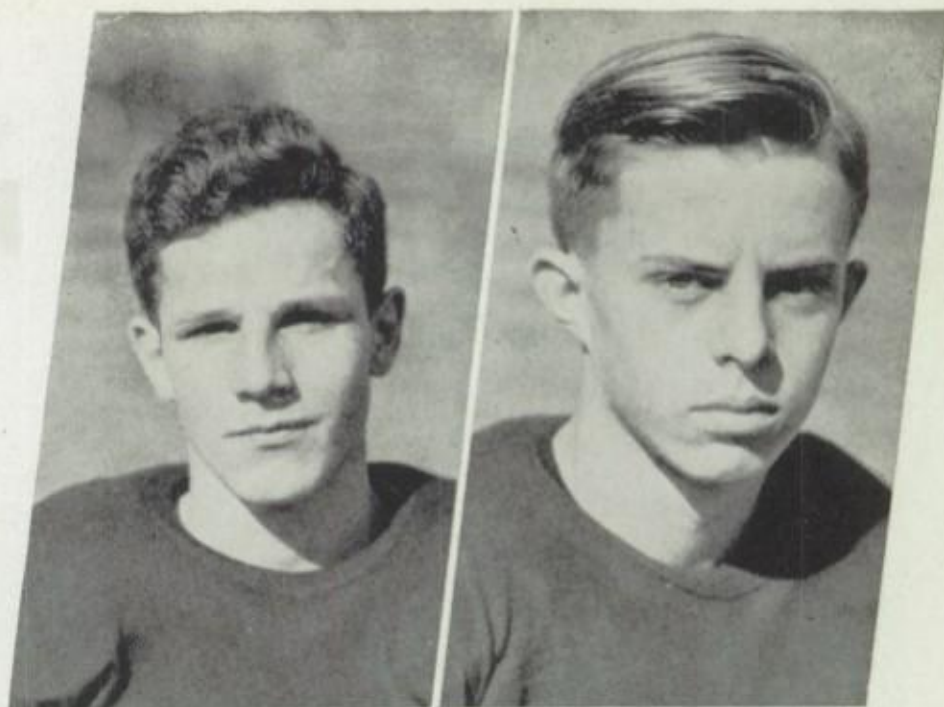
Capt. Maloley
Brooks
Calkins



and Bob Olsen, remained from last year's team.

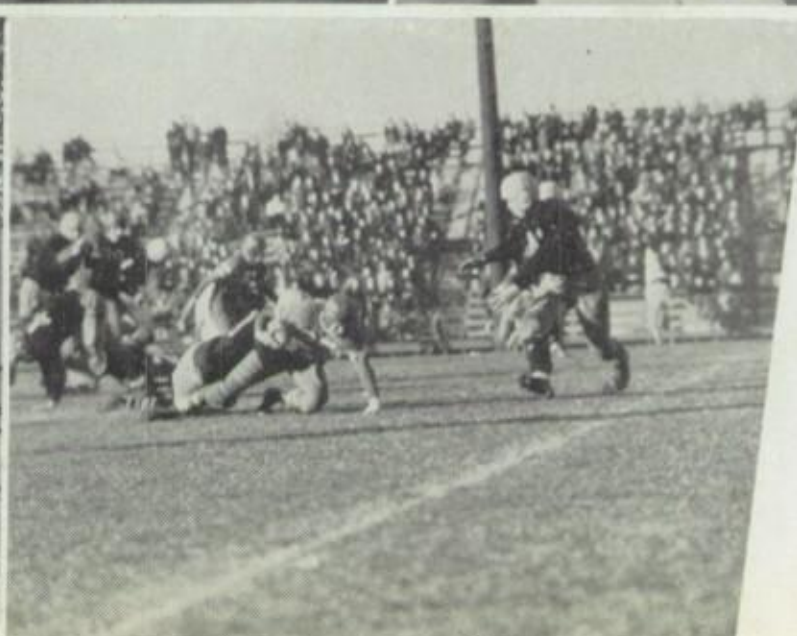
Starting out with a 6-0 win over Godwin, the season ended with this as the only victory. However, our boys played a good, clean game of football, and did their best all the time, which is the most one can expect from any team.

Captain Maloley played his usual fine game during the entire season. Tom Straight, one of the better all-around



Kimball
McGee
D. Straight

Krueger
Richter
T. Straight





players in the city, deserves much credit, for he frequently played two positions, alternating between center and quarterback. Burr was selected by the varsity team as the team's most valuable player. His playing spirit was unlimited. Stevens, one of our best ends, suffered a hand injury which handicapped the team decidedly. However, he was outstanding in the Catholic-Central game.

Other seniors whom the team will miss next year are Hoekstra, Northrup,

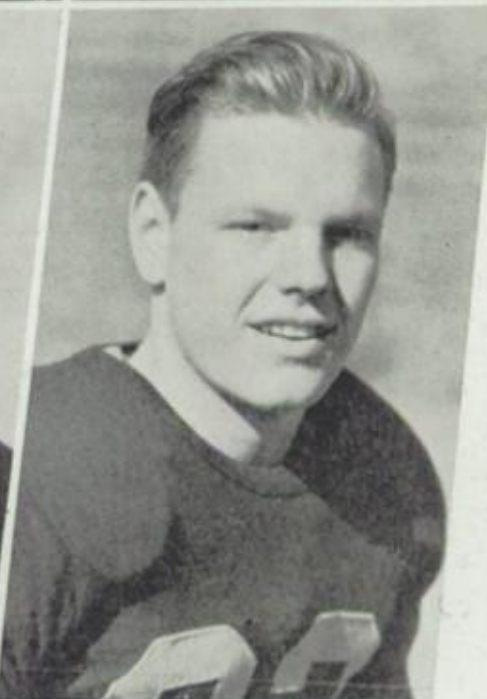
MacNamara
Morganstern
Hoekstra

Lipscomb
De Groot
Assaley



Van Lier, Krueger, Lipscomb, Assaley, Kimball, De Groot, and Richter.

Next year we find six regulars returning: Afentuldis, Brooks, Calkins, Marcusse, McGee, and Dick Straight. Other first-stringers coming back are Evans, Hendrickson, McNamara, Markoff, and Stormzand. All these plus a city-championship second team point toward a first-rate football lineup in the season of 1939.



Northrup
Cassis
Van Lier

Evans
Markoff
McMahon (Mgr.)



2nd Team Football

COACH IRWIN came into his own last fall and presented Central with a nice, shiny, new city championship in the reserve team football league. The boys fought hard, played well, and thrilled the early-bird game-goers again and again. With a strong line to clear the way, and fast backs to carry the ball, they were able to march down the field undefeated during the entire season.

The same strong line that swept the second team to victory this year is going to pull the first team along next year, for Mr. Waters' first team boys will find, among others, two good backs, a pair of guards, an end, and a center, all fighting for their jobs. This will fill up the gaps left by the graduating seniors and boost the morale of the team by creating a struggle for first-string positions.

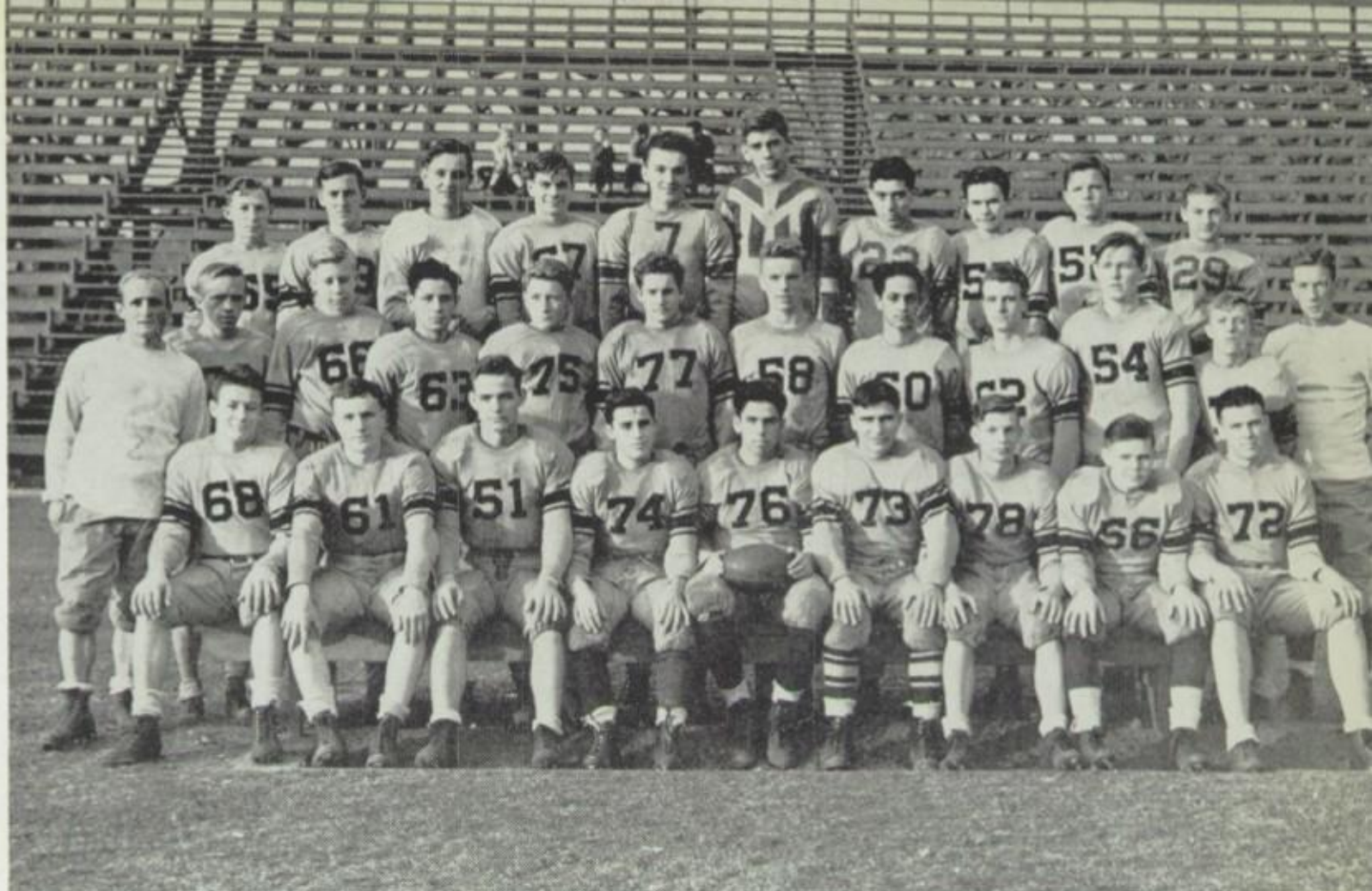
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2nd Team Basketball

COACH WATERS brought together a fine bunch of the younger and less experienced basketball players and produced a team that came in second in the city second team league.

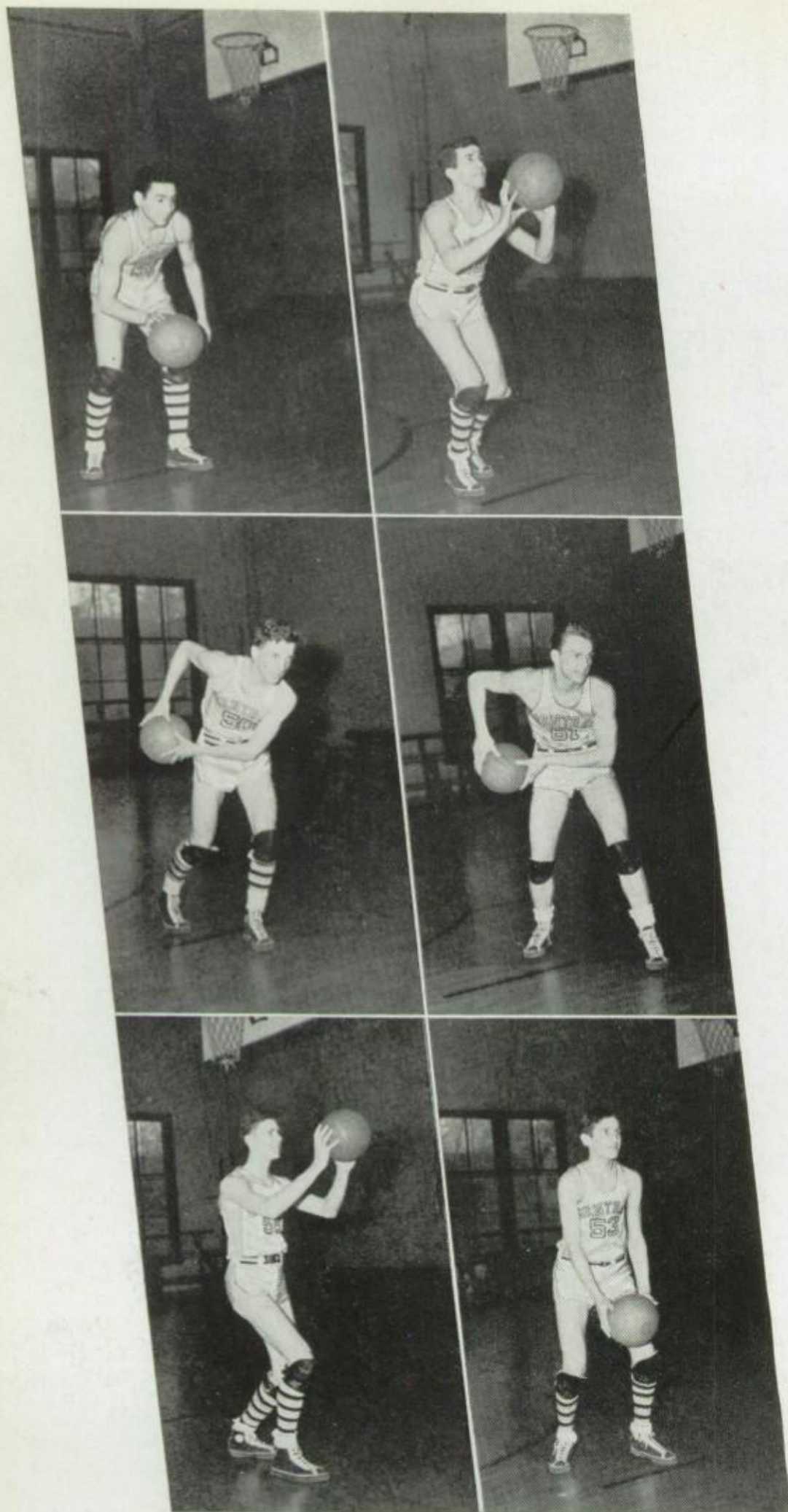
Among the most outstanding players are Barber, McMahon, Stone, Lillie, and Brooks. All of the boys played good, hard basketball, and on many occasions, the preliminary games proved as fast and thrilling as the first team matches. Several of the juniors on this team are headed toward sure place on the first string next winter, which proves that the second team is living up to its true purpose — that of "prep school" for the varsity.



First Row: R. Bentley, R. Teunis, R. Hawkins, A. McCurdy, H. Lillie, P. Cole, R. Krenzelewski, H. Rahn, R. Hondorp, J. Elson • Second Row: W. O'Connor, J. Behrens, L. Dramus, R. Worden, W. Hamlin, D. Keegstra, F. Sayfie, J. Crawford, D. Bender, D. Carlson, Coach Irwin • Third Row: R. Bignall, V. Runyan, H. Nelson, H. Adams, J. Brower, L. Vander Werf, R. Palmer, E. Plous, C. Aussicker, M. Vander Kaay.

Standing: Coach Waters • First Row: B. Karel, D. McMahon, F. Barber, H. Lillie, D. Bender, T. Boslooper • Second Row: B. Upton (Manager), W. Brooks, B. Beel, R. Gillette, G. Boozer, B. Carrigan.





1st Team Basketball

OUR BASKETBALL TEAM started the year off with a bang by traveling way up to Traverse City to hand the boys there a 14-13 defeat. This remained the sole occupant of the win column until along later in the season, it was joined in a lonely duo by a win over Creston. Although the score sheets show only two victories, there were many close games in which the Centralites made

Assaley
Geer
Keller

Cassis
Hendershot
Phillips

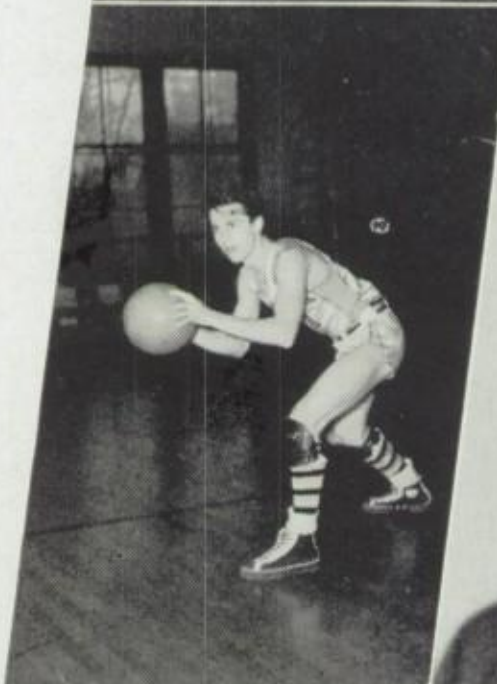
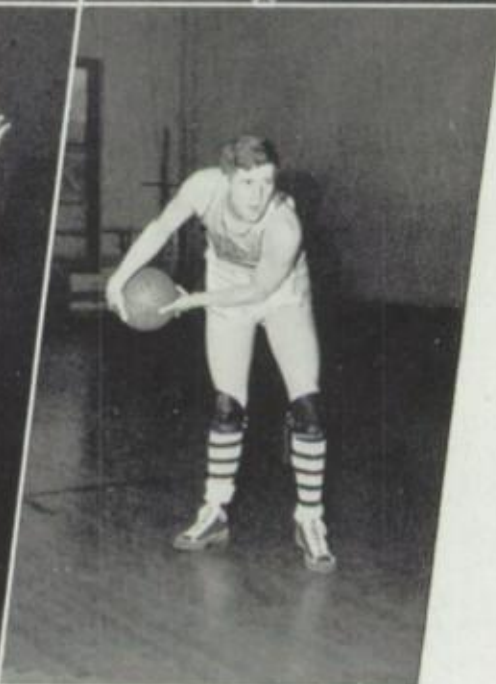
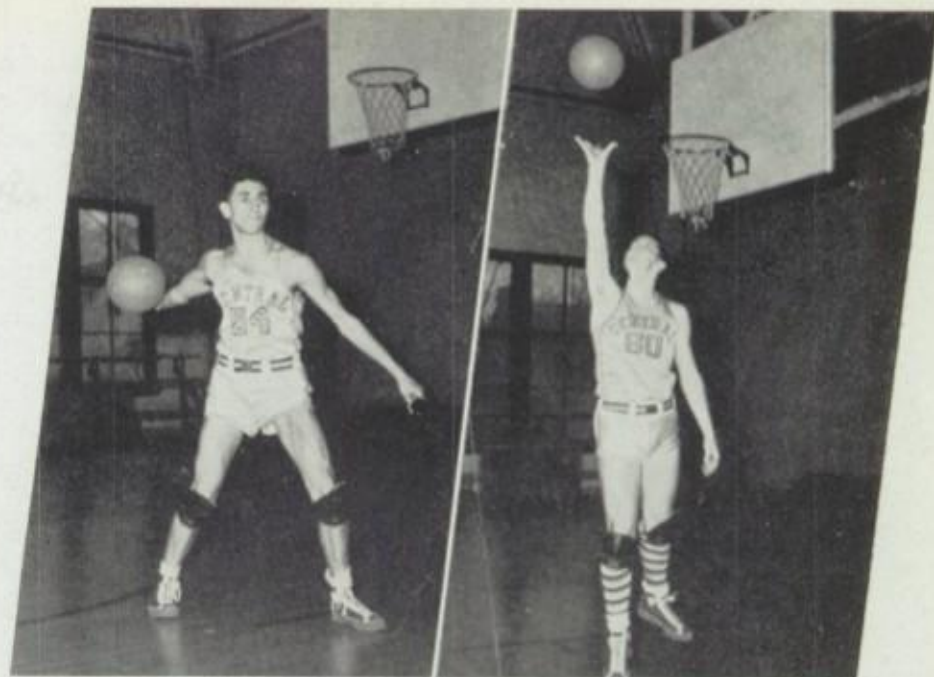


a very good showing. They were handicapped by a lack of interest on the part of the student body and small crowds at the games.

However, Coach Carley Irwin has played his team this year with an eye to the future. Keeping four juniors in fairly regular positions in the first line has built up in them first-team experience and training. This, coupled with a crackerjack second team would seem to indicate a good season in 1939-1940.

Stevens
T. Straight
Wagner

D. Straight
Upton
Haan (Mgr.)



Track

UNDER THE HANDICAP of cold weather lasting well into the middle of the track season and the consequent loss of the session room track meet, Coach Waters managed to have seven of his small squad qualify for the state meet, held annually at Lansing. We missed Fred Quigley's combined speed and excellent form over the hurdles this season, but found an excellent replacement in Bill Calkins. So far he has piled up in City competition an enviable total of some 60 odd points. Bill Upton had the misfortune of running against such competition in each meet. However he managed consistently to run a good second place. He also gained points in the broad jump.

Following close behind Calkins' fine record comes Russell Jones, who after gathering many first in the 880 run was changed to the 440. He easily gathered two more firsts in that event, one of the firsts being in the City Regional meet.

The Straight brothers, we found, also excelled in track. Tom gathered points in both the high jump and pole vault, and Dick, although being out for baseball, won many points for us in the shot put and broad jump. The Regional meet proved we had the best pole vaulter in the form of Don Keegstra. Don won the event while still nursing a badly sprained knee. Another who showed up well in the pole vault was Lindeman. He has many years of high school competition ahead of him. The two star discoveries of the year were Roger Reed in the 880 and Jim Wycoff in the 440. Reed was urged out to practice after the season was well under way and with his natural running form pulled a second place in City-wide competition. Ed Hawkins and Dave McMann are sure point winners for next track season, the latter being eligible this season for the state meet.

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Baseball

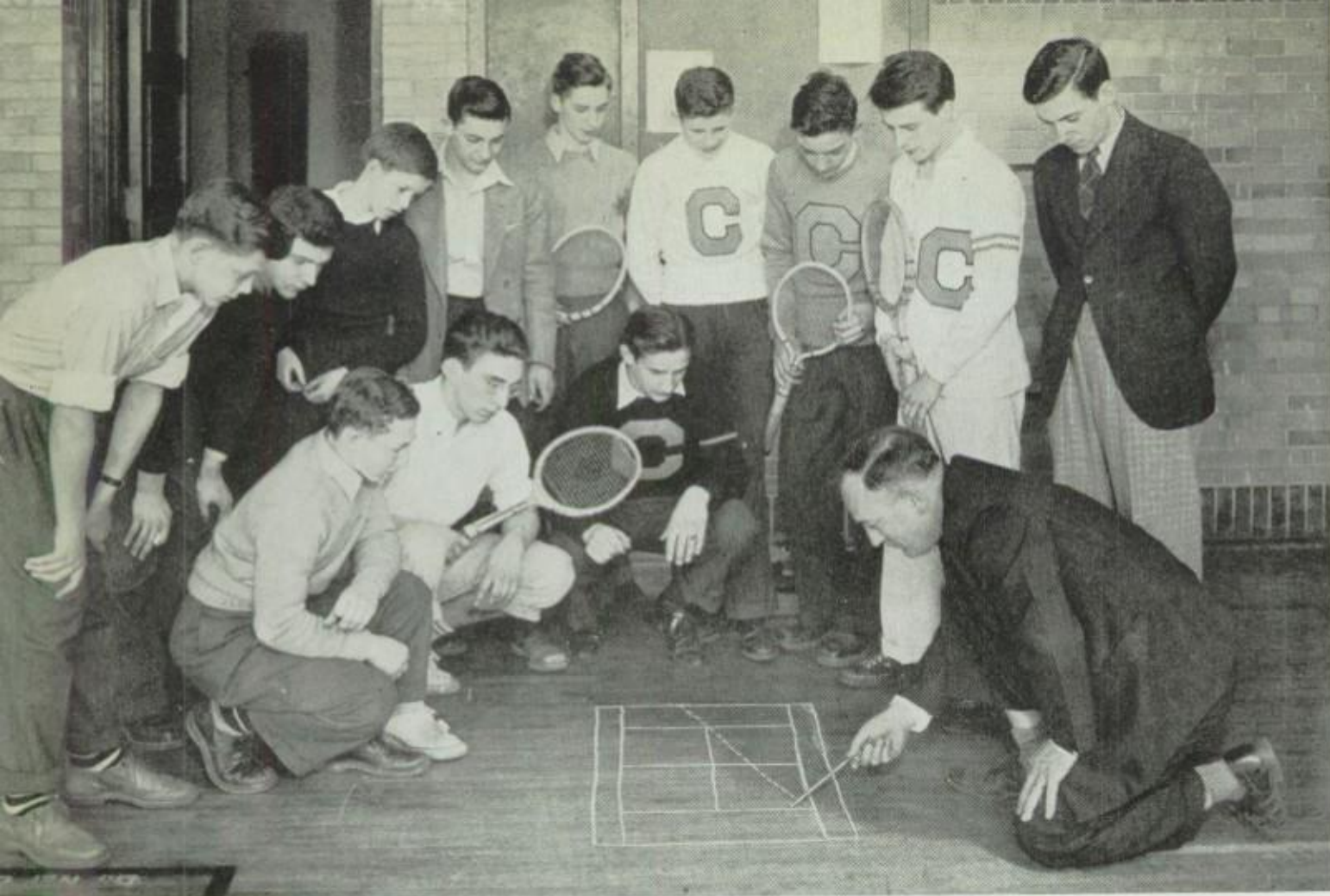
COACH "RIP" MATTHEWS started out this season with only two regulars returning, Captain Stevens and "Mule" Maloley. With quite a large turnout to work with, the very able coach was building for next year as some of the material was rather green. The team developed as it went along. The pitching staff included "Harpo" McGee, a sophomore, John Van Dam, a senior, and Captain Stevens, a junior. Booker and Van Stee did the receiving. There will be quite a few regulars back next year — Carrigan, Afentuldis, Brooks, McGee, Nichols, and some reserves; while Booker, Van Dam, De Groot, Curtis, Maloley, and Assaley are leaving. One group of players which can't be left out is the "Codgers," composed of the subs. The "Codgers" battled the regulars in the scrub games. There was also a freshman team coached by Dale Bearss. We hope that next year will be a very successful one for the team. This year as before was handicapped by poor transportation facilities to and from Mary Waters field.



First Row: J. Lipscomb, T. Straight, D. McMahon, D. Straight, A. Jones, B. Upton, D. Keller, J. Morgenstern, W. Calkins, Coach Waters • Second Row: P. Veenstra, G. Gillette, P. Boogard, L. Reynhout, C. Claver, R. Krenzelewski, D. Kimball, R. VanOeveren, D. Bender, J. Brower, R. Kutsche, J. Nicola, J. Keegstra • Third Row: G. Nelson, J. Wyckoff, C. Kelley, R. Van Axan, J. Frielink, H. Rahn, L. VanderWerf, H. Vonk, A. Dillingham, R. Reed, D. Lipner, G. Boozer, J. Claver.

First Row: F. Barbar, J. Carrigan, W. Brooks, R. Van Stee, B. Sexton, C. Franke, Coach Matthews • Second Row: R. Gazelle, B. Covertson, R. McGee, S. Stevens (Capt.), N. Afentuldis, H. Curtis, G. VanOostenburg, J. DeGroot, F. Maloley, C. Gogo • Third Row: D. Emaus, D. Hondorp, W. Stone, E. Plous, R. Worden, U. Assaley, F. Sayfie, R. Montgomery, J. Witters • Fourth Row: W. Stormzand, P. Cole, A. Amsterburg, G. Kobryn, J. Friedrich, B. Nichols, J. VanDam.





Kneeling: Rex Bignall, Jack Burr, Howard Phillips • Standing: Tom Dillingham, Bill Bennett, B. Thoits, Franklin Pierce, Paul Lawrence, Bill Beel, Richard Geer, John Wagner, Richard Evans, R. Conger.

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Mr. Decker, Don Bullock, David Ewing, Robert Hoover, Dick Markoff, Louis Kaboos, Tom Boslooper, Paul Schwan.



Tennis

CENTRAL STARTED out this year with four lettermen back. Philips, Wagner, Burr, and Bennett and with them as a nucleus Ralph Conger determined to build a team that would force Ottawa out of the championship place which she has held for several years. Philips, Burr and Pierce played singles in that order while Wagner and Bennett played number 1 doubles and Geer and Adrianse number 2.

There isn't much else to tell except that Central won the city championship in dual matches and then went on to clean up in the Regionals with Wagner and Bennett winning the finals of the doubles and Geer and Adrianse being runners-up. The third doubles team that was required for the Regionals was comprised of Beel and Evans. Winning the city Regionals gives Central the privilege of sending a full team, two singles and two doubles, to the state tournament at Ann Arbor on June 2 and 3. Central has had every reason to be proud of this year's tennis team which brought a new trophy to Central's show cases, putting us once more on top of the list in this sport. So good luck down at Ann Arbor, boys!

Golf

AT COACH MARTIN DECKER'S call this spring, twelve divot diggers presented themselves as material for this year's team. At the qualifying round at Kent Country Club four men qualified for regular positions on the team and three remained as alternates. Markoff, Hoover, Ewing, and Bullock played the regular positions respectively and Kaboose, Boslooper, and Schwan qualified as alternates.

Entering the inter-high school matches the team greatly appreciated and enjoyed playing on Grand Rapids' finest courses, Highlands, Cascade, Ridgemoor, Gracewil, Kent, Blythefield, and Green Ridge.

The four positions on the team were selected each week on the basis of scores in the previous matches. In this way each man sooner or later played practically every position in the course of the season.

The entire team will be back to represent Central next year and much is expected of these up and coming golfers.

The team wishes to express its thanks for the fine support and cooperation of its coach, Mr. Decker.

G. A. A. Activities

IT IS AN annual custom of the Senior, Junior, and Sophomore girls who are interested in athletics to meet every Monday night and compete in various sports, such as hockey, basketball, volleyball, and baseball. The Seniors finished with top honors in every sport except basketball, the Sophomores winning this tournament. This Monday night group is under the supervision of Miss Campbell. On Tuesday night, under the supervision of Miss Kilstrom, the Junior High girls meet to compete in similar activities. Both of these groups indulge in individual sports, including ping-pong, badminton, shuffleboard, and archery.

Three honors given at the end of each school year are a numeral, a letter, and an all-city honor, the highest award a girl may receive in athletic work. The purpose of the club, to further the spirit of good fellowship, sportsmanship and leadership, is the basis in determining the receivers of these awards.

Appreciation for the extraordinary pains taken by our sponsors, Miss Campbell and Miss Kilstrom, is hereby acknowledged and our love expressed.

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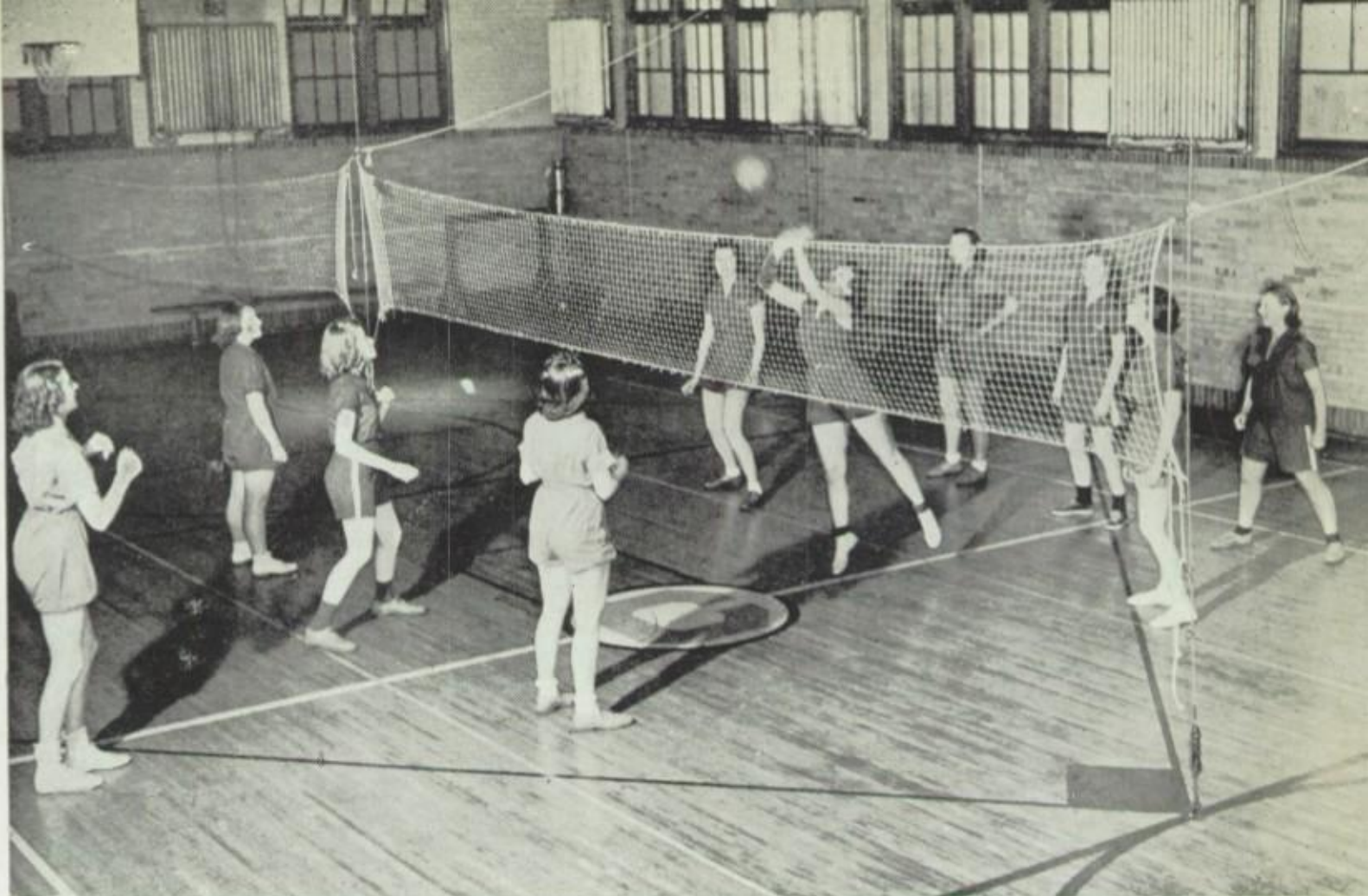
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Officers for the past year have been:

President	MARY MIDDLETON
Secretary-Treasurer	ISLA SPRING

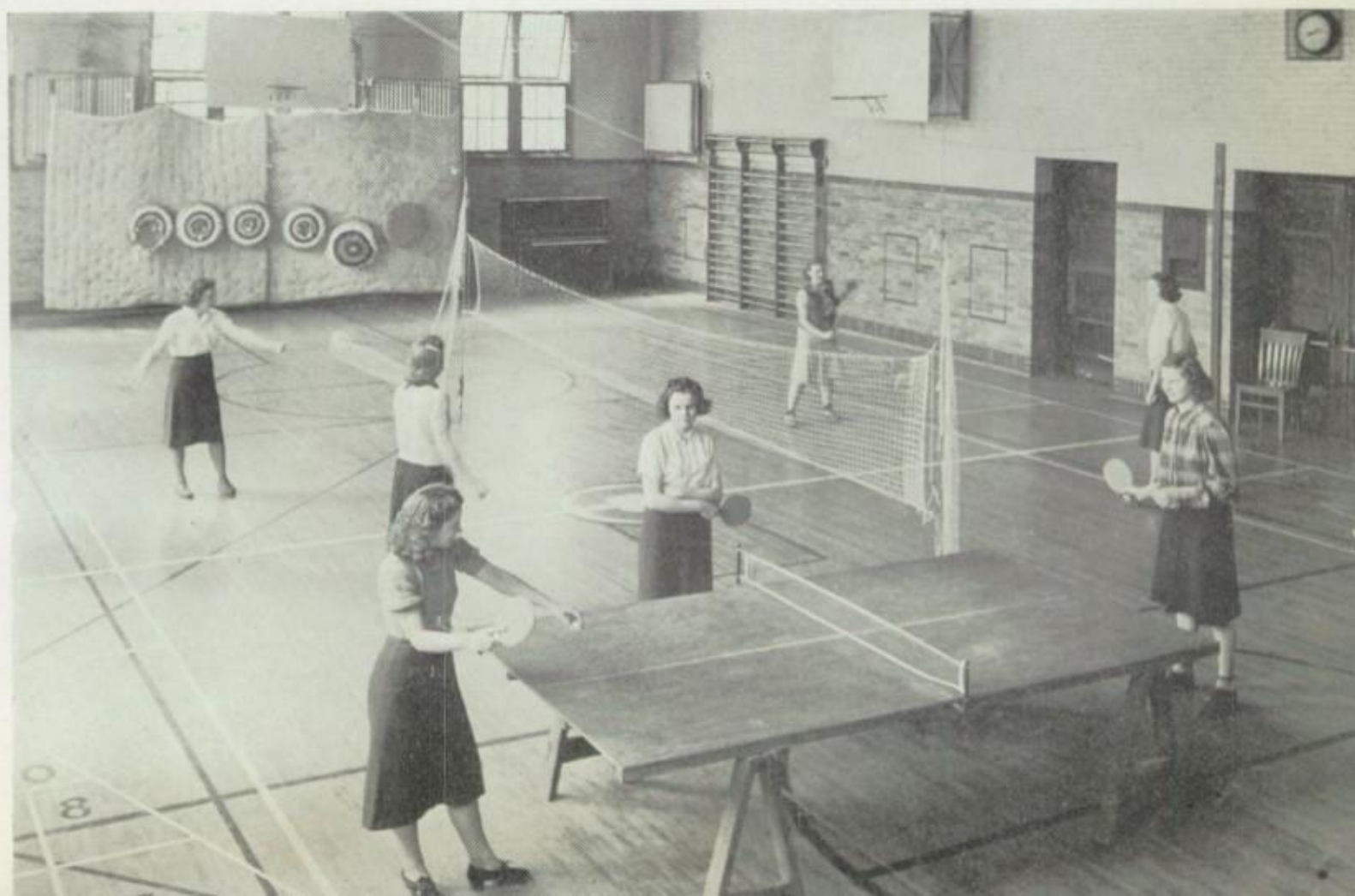
Sport managers have been:

Hockey	PAULA FECHT
Basketball	LORRAINE KORTLANDER
Volleyball	BETTY MOLINE
Baseball	EVELYN BREWER
Ping-pong	JANE WAITE
Badminton	HARRIET ROOD
Archery	ANITA GILLES



Isla Spring, Elizabeth Blacklock, Jane Waite, Anita Gilleo, Paula Fecht, Harriet Rood, Evelyn Brewer, Betty Moline, Mary Middleton, Lorraine Kortlander, Mary Thoits.

Ping Pong: Betty Kamps, Marian Hoebeke, Isla Spring • Badminton: Jane Waite, Mary Belle Chesebrough, Harriet Rood, Mary Thoits.



The Helios Board wishes to express its gratification to all those who have so kindly contributed to help make possible the annual Helios of 1939.

